gged him, and and his watch sted The offiinto a convey nt where the ows were wait th the whisky could be found it they had be left town on flicers are in the sending o ter whisky wa rt of one of the way so that the d murder his money be bad ce have no par we no record of

ing disappeared ast winter. ONVENTION.

rmy of McKinm tomorrow or seems certain of the Business

Do not fall to

come and urge every fair-minded Republican in your locality to be there, irrespostive of his presidential preferences. The contest to be settled, is more than a more preference between individual candidates

ciples of a government of the people and as he was the integrity of our party is at stake. It He had is no longer a contest between candidates. of the head The obstructionists do not offer or advone had been cate any candidate. They simply act the part of the dog in the manger. There is an overwhelming majority of the Repubwas not the licans of this state in favor of McKinley. the man had | The opposition in the convention, by their proposed action, concede this. In many, way to iden- in fact, most of the wards of Chicagoo one of two notably in those embraced within the tramp or a | First and Seventh congressional districts, on more than 90 per cent of the tickets clothes were voted at, the primary election, there was and his shoes printed 'For president, William McKinley, f a working of Ohio.' Every impartial man admits that is usu- that a like result would be reached if the ney were of a question was submitted in every ward of the men had this city and commissioner's district in r brick On this county. Notwithstanding this, a large number of the delegates from here are organized and co-operating together s as though to defeat the will of their constituents in preventing instructions for McKinley and man or he to prevent the selection of McKinley men and the clip- for delegates to the national convention. per He had Your counsel and advice to aid in securing harmonious action is needed. Do not en murdered fail to be there Very truly yours, John the letter pa- McNulta, Chairman of the Executive Committee The members of the club will go down

put there by in force tomorrow on the Chicago & Alton train at 11 o'clock a m., when most on the things of the Cook county leaders will go,

THEIR CAUSE IS WEAKER.

Traveling Men Did Not Help Themselves at the Recent Mesting. Chango Times-Herald The represen-

tatives of the Travelers' Protective associ-

ation and of the various commercial hadnes who have been here for a couple of tramps who days inceting with railroad men to try to secure the issuance of a 5,000-mile interbeen a crook changeable ticket have gone home, and judiging from expressions of officials who getting what they want are no better than nate any the they were before. It was almost a foregone conclusion that the meeting would result in no good to the traveling salesman scause Railroad men have been through this same mill many times before, and though the matter was never befor presented to them in just its present form they have always refused to issue the form of ticket desired. They are prejudiced against such a ticket, and advance many arguments as to why it should never be isued. Their minds were practically made up before they invited hat quarter of the traveling men to meet with them, yet they were willing to be convinced to he contrary if it were possible. Therefore the meeting was called

had any result, did the petitioners more barm than it did good. None of the arguments presented by them were new and had all before been considered. Some of their admissions were new and injured their pleading. It developed during the discussion that 50 per cent of the traveling silesmen pay their own expenses. To the rullroad official this separates the individual from the shipping interests to a was too deep great extent, and also suggests more manipulation of tackets than if the expense of traveling came out of the shipper's pockets Other admissions regarding the methods of handling paggage and excess baggige, it is said, also injurred the traveling man a cause. In addition the evidence of officials whose roads have thrown new sife guards about mileage was in favo of the curtailment rather than the

It now develops that the meeting, if it

At any rate the railroad men, after the traveling men and others had retired, failed to take any denfiite action on the matter There was a casual and spiritless discussion of the subject for a time, and the whole question was then referred y had knocked to a committee of the genearl managers and general passenger agents of lines members of the Central Passenger comhave plenty of mittee This committee will meet some red One was time between May 6 and May 10. It is The party who conceded that a decision against the 5,000story said that mile interchangeable ticket will be reachere crooks and ed, but there is a prospect that the issuance of a 1,000-mile or 2,000-mile interchangeable book may be considered with

County Teachers' Meeting There was the usual large attendance at the regular meeting of the Macon County Teachers' association held at the office of Superintendent Keller. A number of hand-one dudomas were at the final exammation by the pupils of the different schools were given to the teachers. This

- special program was observed. H H. Slater-The Ninth Year Work.
- I) J Williams-School Government. M C. Linthicum-Writing.
- C J Foster-Grammar.
- M C. Griffin-The Monroe Dectrine.

The Fourth of July. Affairs are booming for the realistic ob-

servance of the Fourth of July in Decer Various secret societies are falling into

line all holding that if Decatur is going to do anything she will fail to round it out in style unless everybody unites in the movement. Wachington Camp No. 57 P. O. S. of

Cook county A. are making arrangements to have a pies of the fol- float in the Fourth of July parade. The the state yester- camp will also march in a body.

Go to Spencer & Lehman company for fine surreys, canopy and extension e necessity for buggies and road wagons, and a full igfield conven- line of medium grade vehicles. Feb. 26, d&w tf



The Daily Republican.

be brought back to Beaver to answer for

delphia shortly after the commission of

his crime. McManus was lost to the

county officials of Beaver until within a

through the fact that he has written let-

ters to a young lady in that county. The

with, and from the description they gave

of the soldier there could be no doubt that

England's Reply to President Kreuger.

London, April 27.-The cabinet this

land. Secretary Chamberlain will make

the United States arrived last Friday and

said the government would deal with

both the general Venezuelan question and

its environments and it was confidently

sides peaceful and sitisfactory solution

tation to him to come to London, Cham-

berlain said the most important point

Krueger says he feels confident the colo-

press the question of his proceeding to

England any further at present, especially

in view of the coming session of the vold-

strad, and the desirability of his presence

at home as important measures will be

considered, Chamberlain said that under

luctant to withdraw its invitation,

and had asked the governor of Cape Col-

ony to send the imperial secretary of Cape

Robbed of Wage Money.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

-On Saturday the banks of New York

-Joseph A. Nichols, a farmer near

zlement of \$40,000 in Denver, has ex-

16 ceived information that war has broken

out in German southwest Africa be-

Colorado for trial.

and six men were killed.

obtain medical treatment.

-The weekly statement of the New

York associated banks showed the fol-

specie, increase, \$373,200; legel tenders,

-A duel was fought between Baron

Fejrvary, Hungarian minister of na-

tional defense, and M. Bernath, a

member of the chamber of deputies.

After a bloodless exchange of

Kassala, conjointly with

their own men.

held \$20.678,675 in excess of the re-

information on the subject

taking to pay off the miners

of Carey B. Birch.

he was the man wanted.

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Cullom did not care to express an opin-

AT SPRINGFIELD. ion as to the chances of other candidates, but said if McKinley was nominated at St. Louis he would certainly be elected Republicans Gathering at the Cap- and on a sound money platform.

TURKISH PERFIDY.

Tae McKinley People Will Force the Fight on Instructions-Head Quarters For the Ohio

1 r.c number of candidates and their expelled about a month ago and was comhat nait, and also a large number of pelled to leave without his tamily in spite Maki let people gathered at Springfield of an agreement between the United States minister and Turkey that he need had be swelled during today by new ar- not leave till the roads were so he might take his family with him. Though it pated decity will be crowded with enmetret e Republicans It - the purpose of the McKinley manthe battle on instructions

101 For the State Convention.

TANNER'S NOMINATION SEEMS SURE.

Man Opened.

less an agreement not to return to Bitlis. 20 When Cullom was first a candidate n a cinoi The entire Grant and But fight was made before any state

tions were made and the delegates electd and all other business transacted to one and if Turkey had succeeded in getting many delegates would have left the con-In in the hope of being benefited by that United States will make a searching invention The machine is playing for decondition of things

McKinley headquarters have been queled beside the Cullom headquarters icross the street from the Leland hotel, and this morning the distribution of Mekinley buttons and badges was begun and they are seen on the coats of delegates and put a McKinley tint on everything.

such a fight unless it should appear that the Spanish warship Reina Mercedes, as the machine ' is determined to be unfair the latter is on the outlook for flibusterin the matter All the McKinley people ers. wint and that they have a right to insist upon as they have a majority of the convention on a square vote, is a fair open of the cyclone which swept through this vite in a resolution instructing for Mc-section of the state last night was 400 feet poblibly layor W J. Calhoun, of Danville for permanent chairman. As to the an somewhat divided One slate propos dembraces ex-Governor Richard J. Ogleshy ex-Governor Joseph W. Fifer, R W Patterson and Mayor George B Swift of Cihcago. This, they say, will mean three original McKinley men, Oglesby and Swift, Fifer and one anti-McKinley man Patterson. They feel assured of comse that their men will abide by intructions Another faction of the Mekenky men propose that General McNul drunken-free-for-all fight occurred, who tan ust be one of the two delegates. But

f an the memory of the oldest politics knife, but only his clothes were of one to be hold next Wednesday The the hole and cannot possibly recover. town is already overrun with delegates, Gallagher was placed in jail. oil a scekers, politicians and every hotel 1- ilready crowded. The chief interest is in the presidential question. A movement is on foot among the friends of Me-Kinley to have the delegates at large ipstructed for him as soon as the convention is called to order. The friends of Cullom, Allison and Reed will fight this diet the outcome. As to the state ticket Tuesday; southeast winds, becoming vano one will venture to assure the nomination of any candidate except John R. Tanner for governor. Dr. Joseph Robluns of Quincy, A. J. Hopkins, Aurora, J > Martin, Marion, are the other gubernatorial candidates. There are three candidates for lieutenant governor, five for secretary of state, three for state treas urer, four for auditor, and four for attor-

nev general. CULLOM TALKS.

Is on His Way to Springfield and Says He

Chicago, April 27.—Senator Cullom arrived from Washington this morning was a large parade. and left at once for Springfield to be present at the state convention. When asked regarding his chances for endorsement by the state convention he said: "I am hopeful because my friends are hopeful. It will be a hard fight, however, and no one can definitely foretell the final result. I am still a candidate and expect to remain one until the close of the St. Louis

But an Order to a United States Battleship Causes the Release of Knapp. Constantinople, April 27 .-- (Copyright-Knapp, the American missionary expelled from Bitlis by the Turkish authorities without a trial on the charge of having incited the Armenians to rebellion, was surrendered to the United States consul Sill dield, Ill., April 27 —Quite a at Alexandretta Saturday Knapp was

was given out he was the guest of Valus along the route it appears he was actually a prisoner, that Valis or Alleppo detained to deliver him and were endeavoring to virtually end the contest. vis nominated. The same was force him to embark on board a steamer contest the the present one when it is the

ARMS AND AMMUNIT'N FOR CUBA. The Steamship Bermuda Starts With

estigation into the Knapp case.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 27 -The even where The demonstrations will be evening and took on 5,000 rifles, 4,000 McKinley Marching McKinley clubs revolvers, 3,000 machets, eight Hotchwill be here from Chicago and other parts | kiss and Gatlin guns, and 5,000,000 cartof the state and these will be swelled by ridges and shortly after 1 o'clock this McKinley people who are not members of morning dropped down the river for a th marching clubs. They will parade run to the Province of Pinar del Rio, Cuba, to land munitions for Antonion It has not yet been decided whether the Macco The time was well chosen, as Mckinev people will make a fight for the the United States revenue cutter left here per nament organization, but they will de- for Charleston Saturday, and every official termine that matter in a conference to-connected with the United States court is night They are not disposed to make out of the city. The Bermuda may meet

Latest from the Kansas Cyclone. Concordia, Kan , April 27.—The path

kinky at the proper time. If the McKin- wide, and twenty miles long It started though I see that the New York Tribune the parmanent organization they will northwest through the northern part of Clay county It fortunately struck no towns, but passed through a thickly setpersonnel of the delegates at large, they tled portion of the Republican Valley, destroying everything in its path. A number of people were killed so far as known, eleven, but the list will doubtless be increased Over twenty-five are said to have sustained serious injuries. Twenty families are homeless. Stabbed in a Drunken Fight

hour this morning, in Heekin Park, a will result in murder. John Gallaghe this is yet unsettled and a final decision aged 22, employed at the Whitely Malle

will be contingent on the events as to the ble Casting works, fatally cut Jose Reed, aged 19, employed as an apprent at the Ball Glass works. John Dung Simpfield, Ill., April 27.—Never be- was slashed across the back by Gallaghe his there been so much excitement in a The cut between Reed's ribs penetrated State convention in Illinois as over the the left lung, and he is breathing through

> Weather This Afternoon and Tuesday. Chicago, April 27.—Illinois: General ly fair tonight and Tuesday; slight to fresh wind mostly northerly. Iowa: Fair, warmer central, rain tonight and Tuesday showers, lower tem-

perature; southeast winds. South Dakota. Showers tonight and

Henry Luce Shoots a Farmer and Hi mself Adrian, Mich., April 27.—Eugene Cambourn, a farmer near Tipton, was shot and fatally wounded by Henry Luce, who then shot himself dead Luce has been paying attention to Camboun's daughter against Camboun's desire.

Iowa Odd Fellows Celebrate. Iowa City, April 27.—The Eastern Division of the Iowa Odd Fellows celebrated the seventy-seventh anniversary. Fifteen hundred Odd Fellows were in the city. The city was profusely decorated. There

Feingbaum Electrocuted. Sing Sing, N.Y., April 27.—Karl Feinghaum was electrocuted here today for the murder of Mrs. Johanna, Hoffmann, in New York in September, 1894. He pro-sibly die. tested his innocence to the last.

Meline Named to Form a Cabinat. Paris, April 37.—President Faure has summened Meline to form a cabinet.

M'KINLEY HAS 444.

So Says Gen. Grosvener in His tached to Troop G. He enlisted in Phila-Weekly Bulletin of Delegates.

ONLY 12 DELEGATES few days ago, when they got trace of him

ed by Associated Press.)—Rev. George P. | To Give Him the Nomination on the First Ballot-Will Have 125 of the 166 Yet to be Selected.

> Washington, D. C., April 27 .- Much interest is manifested here in the probable outcome of the Illinois convention on the Krouger to an invitation to visit Engpresidential matter. A conference of Mc-Kinley's friends was held Saturday to determine whether it was necessary to tion in the commons this afternoon. make a strong fight for instructions for McKinley in the Illinois convention.

Some of those present at the conference argued that the McKinley campaign had him five days endeavoring to force him to reached such a high tide of success that instructions for him at Springfield were This Knapp refused, declaring he was not necessary. § General Osborn, flushed guilty of no crime Turkey agreed on with the success in the Virginia convenduring the recent negotiations. Balfour Streets were given It was done in his arrival at Alexandretta that he be deadded that the last communication from livered to the United States consul, but to sweep the Springfield gathering, claimwhen he reached there the officials refused ing that a decisive victory there would

Reports from Illinois were laid before for Europe. The United States consul the conference. They showed that the at Alexandretta notified Riddle in charge McKinley men are confident they have a ted before the nominations were of American legation at Constantinople majority of the delogates at Springfield. tride and the instruction which in that in the absence of Minister Terrell, and the The result of the conference was a con-Is will merely incidental were added latter made an energetic protest to the clusion that it would be better not to deto the legal to the committee on platcommander of the United States cruiser agers could get to Springfield and look Marble head to proceed to Alexandretta, the ground over. The agents left here with the understanding that no attempt the line against the people it would be the United States consul. This brought will be made to carry the Illinois convenunside to wait until all the nomina-

General Grosvenor gave out tonight his take up the matter of instructions as a rid of Knapp without protest the expulstill fight is altogether probable and sion of all missionaries in Asiatic Tur- votes As usual, he declines to make any key, Catholic and Protestant alike, would figures upon other candidates' strength, have followed It is understood the confining his figures to a compromise between McKinley's vote and the number necessary to a choice, 456. He also declines to discuss the accuracy of the tables of votes of anybody, and said tonight

"I rely with absolute confidence upon nitimate results to vindicate my figures. It is remarkable that in this week, so steamship Bermuda arrived here last near the close of the election of delegates, that Major McKinley has elected fifty eight delegates. McKinley's strength

| sumus today as a | 01101 | |
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| Alabama | 18 | Oregon |
| Arkansas . | 16 | Pennsylvania |
| Florida | 8 | South Carolina |
| Georgia | 19 | South Dakota |
| Illinois | 24 | Texas. |
| Indiana . | 30 | Virginia |
| Kansas | 20 | West Virginia |
| Louisiana | 8 | Wisconsin |
| Minnesota | 18 | New Mexico |
| Mississippi . | 18 | Oklahoma. |
| Missouri | 18 | Kentucky. |
| Nebraska | 16 | Utah |
| New Jersey. | 16 | Tennessee |
| North Carolina | 4 | Maryland |
| New York. | 4 | North Dakota |
| ATUN AULIN | _ | |

4 North Daketa

444 quirements of the 25-per-cent. rule. Total "It will be seen that I do not place any Clarkson, Ky., was killed by lightning votes in Connectcuit or New Hampshire while plowing. He was 52, a widower, in the McKinley table at this time, al- and leaves seven children. gates I prefer to leave those states to run over and killed by a cable car at make known their status when the roll of make known their status when the roll of the convention is called, and I may add Mo., Bud Ball mistook John Dunlap in this same connection that there is a considerable number of delegates not of his gun in the latter's breast. Dunclassed as McKinley men in other states lap will probably die. than Connecticut and New Hampshire who may be relied upon to protect Mc- who was arrested at Southampton Kinley from any combination looking to upon his arrival from America about

his defeat "Now, looking forward, the prospect is Muncie, Ind., April 26.—At an early very pleasunt There about 200 delegates to be elected hereafter, as follows

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| Alabama . |
| Georgia |
| Illinois. |
| Vermont |
| Arizona. |
| California . |
| Michigan |
| Nevada. |
| Montana |
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Delaware Colorado. Washington Idaho Wyoming. . North Carolina. West Virignia Total..

"The balance, making up about 200, are scattered by districts over the entire

"It will be observed by a careful analysis of these votes yet to come, that it is a modest and conservative statement to claim that McKinley will have 125 of \$2,539,325; loans, increase, \$1,062,900; claim that McKinley will have 125 of these votes and probably more. Thus, it increase, \$2,980,000; deposits, increase will be seen that my statement that the \$3,255,500; circulation, decrease, \$34, first of May would see McKinley within 500 reach of a majority was not only not an exaggeration, but has been verified by rebitterly Not even the leaders can prestrated by actual figures when the dele-

> BURNED TO DEATH IN A HOTEL One Fatality and Two Serious Injuries at

Moline, Ill., April 27.-At 2 o'clock boarding house and restaurant of Stephen

A. Waller, on Second avenue, from the Sunday morning fire broke out in the explosion of a lamp. One man was burned to death, and two other people were badly injured.

William Sage, a lodger, was found dead in his room after the fire with his body burned to a crisp.

John West, a lodger, and Nellie Swan-

on, a domestic, are the other victims. West was severely burned and cut by broken glass in making his escape. He inhaled considerable flame and may pos-

Betrayed by His Letters, Washington, April 26.—Thomas Mc-Manus, a soldier at Fort Meyer, for whom the Beaver county, Pennsylvania, author- quired to pass the examination.

was taken in custody yesterday, and will

felonious assault. McManus was at- Results in the Almost Total Destruction of Cripple Creek,

THE DANAGES REACHING A MILLION,

Amount-The Progress of the Flames officers at Fort Meyer were communicated Stayed at Last by the Lavish

CRIPPLE CREEK, Col., April 26.—The of the city is in ashes; charred timbers morning considered a reply to President and crumbling walls now mark the sites of what were the best business a statement on the result of the consulta-London, April 27.-First Lord of the Treasury Ballour in response to a question said in the commons today that ar-\$250,000.

rangements for a condition of arbitration fire broke out in Carv's second-hand in respect to the Venezuelan and other store, caused by an angry courtesan questions are matters which Great Butthrowing a lamp at her lover. The ain and the United State had in view quickly in all directions. now under consideration. Balfour

occurred and the flames quickly spread to adjoining buildings. Then it was hoped that by patience and tact on both can be attained Colonial Secretary Chamberlain made a statement regarding President Krueger's reply to the invi-

gan to realize that an enormous connial secretary will accognize the difficulty flagration was about to take place. Every vehicle in town was pressed of his position, that it appears wise not to into service by merchants, anxious to save the contents of their stores, and great confusion existed, during which a number of casualties occurred from runaway teams The merchants were not successful in recovering their goods; the flames spreading with such rapidity that not more than one-tenth the circumstances the government is reof their wares were saved.

> came evident that desperate measures must be adopted to stop the spread of the flames and, the water supply being very poor, the firemen decided to resort to the use of dynamite, and a number of buildings were thus sacrificed before the fire had reached them. During the progress of the explosions a fireman, whose name can not be learned, was probably fatally injured by having one of his legs blown off.

stroyed the entire districts surrounded and robbed of \$4,000 which they were by Warren, Eaton, Third and Fourth streets, comprising four entire blocks. The buildings included in the burne district are the First national, the Gold and Stock exchange, the post office, the Topic and Central theaters, the city jail and several large rooming

It is reported that all the mails in the post office were destroyed. Great excitement prevailed at the city jail and as the prisoners could not be cared for elsewhere, Marshal Jim Marshall threw open the doors and released all

-Dr. S. S. Moffat, a homeopathic for a time completely suspended, but both the Western Union Postal com- the minds of the neighbors and the panies opened up offices in the outskirts of the city, and la munication was partially restored. Many persons lost everything they for a turkey and lodged the contents

whom there are several hundred -Matthew Adams, of Denver, Col. The burnt district will rebuild a

three weeks ago, charged with embez-Eighty-Five Men Caught in a Cave-in pressed his willingness to return to seven Dead and Many Times that -The German government has re-EL PASO, Tex., April 26.-A special

dispatch to the Times last night, from Chihuahua, Mex , says. The most terer, began taking out these supports. steamship Finance for New York to Prieto urged the miners, who are

Mexicans, to continue at work in spite of their protests, it is said, and the terrible accident resulted. Eightyfive men were at work when the cave in occurred. Of these 18 escaped, 67 were buried, and of these 37 have been taken out, seven of whom are dead, and 30 are seriously crushed, and many will not live. There is very little chance of recovering alive the 30 men vet under the earth. The governor left here to-day for the scene.

Satisfactory Result of the New Battle

they fought with sabers, and M. Ber ship's Trial Trip. BOSTON, April 26 -In her officia -Col. Edw. Higgins, who is to re

place Col. Eadie as chief secretary to Commander Booth-Tucker, and who will be next in command of the Salvation army in the United States, arrived average speed of 16 15 knots, a speed which places her in front of ships of her class of the navies of the world, and earned for her builders a premium -Advices received at Suakim say of \$100,000. The manner in which the that part of the Italian garrison machinery worked was as satisfactory as the speed developed. The weather

Tolebo, O., April 27 .- A fire is reported to have occurred at Delta, O. yesterday morning in which two sous of A. S. Marshand, clerk of the town were burned to death. The family residence caught fire at an early hour. All the occupants were rescued except the two boys.

A BOY MURDERER.

it-to Between Two Boys Results in the Killing of a Third Fair Play.

St. Louis, April 26.—A bloody trage-My, with two boys as the principals, curred last night at Seventh and Wash streets.

As a result Solomon Schwartzman ies dead at the Morgue with a terrible gash in his throat and little 14vear-old Harry Deutsch is behind the bars at the Third District police sta-

The murdered boy was 19 years old. All of the witnesses to the affair were boys between 12 and 16 years of age The murder was in some respects a mystery, and the police, while they ave every reasor to believe that

Harry Deutsch killed Schwartzmann with a knife, are at sea as to the circumstances leading up to the cutting. According to the story accepted by the police, the cutting was the outcome of a fight between two boys. Shortly after eight o clock a crowd were playing at the comer c Seventh and Wash streets.

A quarrel arose between Dave Deutsch and Eddie Weiss The quarrel grew hotter and hotter, and in a few minutes the boys were at it ham-Solomon Schwartzman was the largest

boy in the crowd. As Eddie Weiss was his brother-in-law, he stood by to see Hairy Deutsch, Dave's brother, came by while the boys were fighting and ran up to help his brother. Schwartz man warned him to keep away and hnally knocked hun down with his fist

The little fellow managed to get on his fect. The next minute Harry Deutsch

and proceeded to kick him in the face

landed a swinging blow on Schwartzman's neck Schwartzman staggered, and Deutsch hit him half a dozen time about the

With a cry of pain and the exclamation "I am cut," Schwartzman ran into Hartwig's drug store across the Henry Rippana, the clerk, was be-

As Schwartzman rushed in the blood spurted from his neck and full into the face of the drug clerk. Schwartzman ran behind the prefloor, the blood gushing from his neck

in a fountain-like stream at every An ambulance was summoned hurriedly and the boy was removed to the

Dr. Kearney examined him and found that he was fataly injured. vound in his neck was clearly inflicted with a knife and was more than an meh long. So far as could be judged age was known. from a hasty examination, the wind-

THE COCKING MURDERS. The Crime Inid at the Door of the Hus

Hospital.

LA PLATA, Md., April 26.—The murderer who took the lives of Mrs. Joseph Cocking and her sister, Miss Daisy Miller, on Thursday night, is believed by the citizens of the vicinity to be none other than the husband and the brother-in-law, Joseph Cocking, who was himself found in the cellar after the tragedy, apparently half un-

This belief has become so strong in citizens of the surrounding towns that made He is virtually under arrest.

The fact that no clew whatsoeve has been unearthed whereby any other than the occupants of the Cocking store and dwelling could be connected with the crime, is telling against the quasi prisoner. A number of extra deputy sheriffs are stationed in and about the Cocking residence, with a view of guarding against any surprise on the part of those who beheve in Cocking's guilt.

Cacking Locked Up and Guarded to I're LA PLATA, Md., April 27.—Joseph Cocking, husband of Mrs. Fannie

Cocking and brother-in-law of Miss Daisy Miller, who were murdered in home at Hill Top Thursday night, was arrested yesterday afternoon after a jury of inquest rendered verdict charging him with the double murder. Cocking is locked up in a room at Smoot's hotel in this place. With him is a strong guard of deputy sheriffs. To-day he will be removed to Baltimore, as the authorities herefear mob violence, and Cocking himself has expressed a desire to be taken to Baltimore.

AN UNBELIEVER. Lord Wolseley Does Not Believe in the Plowshare and Pruninghook Era-

the British army, was a guest at a Ala., Argus, was shot and badly dinner given by the Press club. Lord wounded by R. E. Spraggius in astroct Wolseley made a speech, in the course of which he said he did not believe in It grey out of a publication in the Arthe happiness of a nation that had no gus which Spraggins objected to history. He did not hesitate to say he did not believe in universal peace. The man who believed that the time gan firing. Coleman shot five times. was coming when there would be no wars was a dangerous dreamer, cope- announced he was wounded and his cially dangerous it he happened to pistol empty and Spraggins crased firhold a public position. He hoped that ing. Spraggins was not hit, no such man would ever be in the forenost place in public life in Great Brit-Fatal Boller Explosion.

ALTOOMA, Pa., April 27,-The boiler

in the portable saw mill operated by J. B. Burgoon, at Clinton, Cambria county, exploded. Three men, including the proprietor, were killed. They were: Natthew Gough, a sawver; S. S. Neal Gates, a helper, and J. B. Burgoon, proprietor of the mill. Several employes were badly injured. The mill was completely destroyed by the explosion. It is be

lieved that some of the injured will A Paxton business firm bas unifor

KANSAS CYCLONE

10 CENTS PER WEEK

Destroyes Several Lives and Much Farm Property

Killed-Incidents of the Storm-Misaculous Escripes-The Uninjured Rendering Assistance.

velone of tremendous force sped hrough Clay county late Saturday night. As far as known to night, five people were killed, three fatally wound and seventeen injured.

them have wounds said to be fatale A large number of horses and cattle

were killed and the damage to farm

south of Chitton and went in a northeasterly direction for 12 or 15 miles and then lost its force by spreading. It passed about half way standing. Houses and barns were wrecked, trees torn up or broken, tences leveled and haystacks blown in-

eyclone had retired. The storm struck Peter Anderson's home at 4:30 o'clock. This was about a mile from the starting point. The house was demolished. in an instant. Every member of the Anderson family was injured, and when they had extricated themselves from the debris they discovered that Anderson's grandchild was missing. The dead body of the child was found scription counter, where he fell to the vesterday morning in a ravine half a mile away. It evidently had been car-

who lived out of the track of the storm, and search was commenced for victims, but little headway was made in the rain. Couriers were sent to Clifton and Morganville for doctors, but it was daylight before they arrived

victims had been found. Heartrendsons who visited the scenes storm. Many of the injured lay all night pinned down by wreckage, while others crawled or hobbled across

The wife and daughter of John Morris was reading when the shock came. The house was divided. The ladies managed to get out when the wind picked them up, and carried them 200 yards and then let them safely down on a pile of straw just away from the

The people for miles around yesterday gathered at different points where damage had been done and rendered assistance in every way possible.

Telegraphic communication with Clifton was cut off from the hour of the storm till late yesterday morning. It is believed that much damage was done in the vicinity of Palmer, Wash-

ington county, but the details can not be learned.

It is impossible at this time to estimate the damage to buildings and

other property. MOWING DOWN THE NATIVES.

BULUWAYO, April 26.-A large number of Matabeles attacked a British column on the outskirts of the town yesterday morning, but were repulsed with heavy loss. The native made a stubborn stand and fought with great desperation, but finally broke and fled. in great disorder under a withering and well-directed fire from the Maxima and Hotchkiss rapid-fire guns with. which the English were equipped. The Matabeles lost a large num killed and wounded waile the British loss consisted of one killed and several

Firing Coased When One of the Parties

LONDON, April 27.—Field Marshal Lord Wolseley, commander-in-chief of the Ruitigh army was a restricted to the Ruitigh army

A Popular Officer Killed by a Bri

HARMODERURE, Ky., April, 26.—Po-licensu John Russell was killed less

night at seven o'clock by James Downey, a dranken farmer, whom he was attempting to arrest. The dead offivery popular, and the state guarder are now guarding the prison to pre-vent any possibility of a lynching. Burial of Baren Hirsch.

Paris, April 27.—The remains of Baron, de Hirsch, the noted financier and philanthropist, will be interred in Montmarte cometery to-day.

the legislature of 1593, is unc

ities have been searching for over a year, A COURTESAN'S RAGE

Use of Dynamite.

blocks of the town. One million dollars is considered by some to be a conservative estimate of the damage; while others place the loss as high as two millions. As near as can be estimated the insurance will not exceed At one o'clock yesterday afternoon

lamp hit the stove, igniting the oil mer and tongs which caused the flames to spread The firemen responded quickly and the blaze was not thought to be serious, but a sudden change in the wind

conceded half a dozen buildings on the corner of Meyer and Third streets would be destroyed and the occupants made hasty preparation for the removal of their goods to places of safety. Every moment added fury to the flames, and as they spread rapidly from house to house, the people be-

When the post office caught it be-

Town to England for instructions regarding further negotiations Chamber lain said it was not expected to furnish further Trinidad, Colo., April 27.—John Aiello, manager, and Robert Mackey, assistant manager of the Berwind Coal Com-Late last evening the fire was finally pany's store in the northwest part of this gotten under control, after having de-

city, were held up by four masked men -Joseph Windreth has been sentenced in Chicago to hang for the murder

> of them. Telegraph and telephone service was

had. Those who are not affected have offered shelter to the homeless, o

FRIGHTFUL MINE DISASTER.

tween the Germans and the Gababis rible mining disaster that has ever oc and Hottentots A battle has been curred in Northern Mexico happened fought in which two German officers Thursday afternoon at the Vieja mine, about twelve miles from this city, in ---Capt. James T. Lockwood of the the Santa Eulalia district. The mine Pacific Mail Co.'s steamship City of is a very rich silver mine and has been Para, died suddenly on his vessel in supported by great pillars of ore, and the bay of Panama, on March 25, while a few weeks ago P. R. Prieto, the ownpreparing to go to Colon to take the

THE MASSACHUSETTS.

trial yesterday the battleship Massachusetts covered the 62 knots of the official government course in 3 hours, 50 minutes and 23 seconds, making the

ns and the sea were perfect. Two Boys Burned to Death in Their

-The full bench of the Massachu setts supreme court has declared that the veterans' preference bill, passed by tional. The act permits the appointment of a war veteran in precedence of those who have passed spiril service examination, the veteran not being re-The Platt County Pilot is the name of

AND LEAVES A LONG LIST OF WOUNDED.

& Large Number of Horses and Cattle

CLAY CENTER, Kan., April 27.-A

A full list of the dead and injured is unobtainable as the doctors have not returned from the scene of the disaster. It is known, however; that every member of the families of John Morris, F. Welkin, Peter Anderson and Henry Gardner was hurt and three of

property is immense.
The cyclone started about six miles

Clifton and Morganville. Its track varied from 150 yards to a quarter of a mile in width. It tore through a farming community and left nothing every direction. The cyclone was followed by a ter-

rific ram storm, which lasted several urs, flooding the devastated disof far as learned the victims of the

ried there by the wind. Anderson alarmed the neighbors

and the exent of the injury and dam-At noon it was thought that all the The boy died on the way to the City ing tales of suffering are told by per-

the country to a neighbor's house.

storm's track

The track of the storm looked like a threats of lynching are being freely piece of ground which had been leveled

Another Bloody Encounter on the Ot

AN IMPROMPTU DUEL

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| 4—TUESDAY. | 29-WEDNESDAY. 80-THURSDAY. | | | |

MOON'S PHASES.

Last quarter, 4th; new moon, 12th; first qua ec. 30th; full moon, 27th.

CONGRESSIONAL TICKET.

17th latrictJAMES A. CONNOLLY For Member State of EqualizatTHOMAS N. LEAVITTH. N. SCHUYLER

What does General Weyler's troche or line of forts amount to with one insurgent army on each side of it? The lines can and will be broken and when once broken there is no danger of the army that broke them meeting other and stronger lines. It will simply be across the line and that will be the end of the

Speaking of what the situation would be in case Senator Quay were nominated at St. Louis the St. Louis Globe-Demo-

Suppose that by some malignant misby some freak of perverse fate. Senator Quay should actually be nominated by the St. Louis convention—how mated by the St. Louis convention—how quickly the whole face of political affairs would change! A day after the nomination was made a struggle would begin for the Democratic candidacy which would make the Chicago convention of 1896 as picturesque and exciting as was the Republican convention of 1880 or the Democratic conventions of 1844 and 1860. That ratic conventions of 1844 and 1860. The with a boldness and a gayery which it has not known since the days of Jackson. At present the indications point to an over-whelming victory for the Republicans in November as unerringly as they did in 1872 after the September and October states had spoken, yet Quay's nomination, if the Democrats put up a fairly acceptable candidate, would undoubtedly defeat the Republican party this year. So far as there is any honesty in Quay's so-called boom—and, of course, there is very little honesty in it—it is fool politics.

vania, from whatever point it is viewed looks very much like a move to authorize Quay to get all the glory he can out of the delivery of the vote to McKinley.

what instructions to delegates mean. This controversy was started by those who want to entice delegates away from McKinley instructions. This raises the question as to what is involved in instructions. If a distinction can be made by these designing men between instructions and endorsement they could very easily find means to make the strongest kind of Instructions nugatory. For example they might contend that instructions did not involve voting in the interest of McKinley in the organization of the conveniton or that it did not involve voting for deletes who were at heart loyal to McKirley's interests. All this is dishonest and F., at Paxton next Friday. is intended for sap-heads. When delegates are instructed, or a convention endorses a candidate, it means that the delegates are expected to do what the conwention would do could it sit in the state convention instead of being represented by delegates or agents. A delegate instructod for McKinley, who votes in a conven thon for a man for member of the commaittee on resolutions who is not a Mc-Winter man violates his instructins, as much as though he voted directly against instructions. A delegate who votes for a member of the committee to suggest delegates for the state-at-large violates his instructions. A delegate who votes for a residing officer of the convention who is against McKinley violates his instructions and if he votes on any question as to the order of business that is not in the interest of McKinley he violates his in structions. Instructions or indorse ments, by the people, means semething and the delegates who are the agents of ommend it to others on every occasion those who appoint them cannot be too that presents itself." West's Drug and the delegates who are the agents of pareful in avoiding the tricks of schemer to have them violate their obligations

. Instructions and Endorsement. The instructions to the delegates to St. Louis adopted by the Republicans of the Bushnell seem to have been written as a take off on the rot that certain people have been getting off about the difference

claiming that where McKinley was only ndorsed that the delegates were under ations to vote for him in conven Mon, with the view of paving the way for such delengtes as they hope to be able to deceive to vote against their instructions. The Bushnell resolutions are

Resolved, That the Republicans of Fifteenth congressional district who waitindly honored us by their prefer-ing driegates to the convention called purpose of selecting delegates to be half at St. Louis June 16, 1896, are in the last our best efforts to secure the confination of the half at St. Thous of the half at St. Thous June 16, 1896, are in the last of t

That the Hon. William Mc-

"Resolved, That the delegates and alpear before this convention and to pledge themselves to vote and work for our choice, the Hon. William McKinley, and to vote for no other candidate so long as his name shall remain before the conven-

"Resolved, That the instructions here given are indorsements which mean just what we say That the instructions most emphatically instruct and indorse most positively indorse, and we insist that we consider these instructions as that we consider these instructions as binding upon the delegates and alternates which we have here chosen to the national convention as if they had entered into a bond with each and every district dele-gate here assembled to faithfully perform the duties and functions for which they have been selected."

A Small Land Grant. What beyond doubt is the smallest body of land ever granted by the United States as a homestead is in Dade, the extreme southeastern county of the state of Florida. It consists of a small island in the north end of Lake Worth. in extent. Yet the claim for it was entered in the land office at Gainesville fee and 37 cents for the land. He makes about \$80 a month from his investment as the island is right in the path of green and loggerhead turtles coming into the lake from the ocean to feed, and there he catches them. Sonora's Agricultural Ants.

The "agricultural ants" of Sonors Mexico, are said to plant fields of grain and regularly harvest their crops, upon

which they depend wholly for food. In fact, should the crops fail, they would perish of famine. On the other hand, the cereals that they grow have been specialized by cultivation, like the wheat and other grains of the human husband man, and, it is stated, quickly disappear if the insects neglected to attend to Much Bean Porridge.

A family, residing in Lakeville, Conn. were visited by relatives residing some marked that there had been a great unntity of bean porridge made in his nother's family; "enough," said he, "to float a 74-gun ship. Don't you think so Uncle John?"—appealing to one of his relatives. "Yes, yes," replied that uncle-

expect to move about April 15, 1896 nial quarters. Come and get a bargain. mch19-d&wtf

Work on the the new Walker opera house at Champaign will probably begin

About the Eye.

For people with sore eyes, weak, watery eyes, and red and inflamed eyes, caused by age, catarrh or otherwise, the Brazilian Balm is a priceless boon. Put 15 or 20 drops of Balm into a spoonfull of warm water and bathe the eyes well night and morning, getting some of the solution into the eyes. The relief and benefit is worth a hundred times the

For sale by Armstrong Bros., Druggists. 5A three days' session of the Kankakee District Ministerial association came to a close at Watseka on the 22d. Presiding Elder Williams had charge of the proceed-

Valley Anniversary association, I. O. O. Have You Had the Grip

If you have, you probably need a reliable medicine like Foley's Honey and Tar to heal your lungs and stop the racking cough incidental to this disease. Neisler Drug & Supply Co. and N. L. Krone.

Mrs. Nellie Read, wife of Rev. J. C. H. Read, of Moline, died on the 22d, aged

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charged with illegal voting at the recently

J. W. Pierce, Republic, Is., says: "I have used One Minute Cough Cure in my family and for myself, with results so entirely satisfactory that I can hardly find words to express myself as to its merits. I will never fail to rec-

There are but six occupants of the Champaign county jail at the present ime. This is the smallest number of in-

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Tolono was invaded by a band of burgtered a quantity of property stolen.

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L. M. Williams, formerly of Delavan recently graduated form the Northwest

T. B. Rafferty, for sixty-seven years a resident of Greene county, Illinois, is dead at Whitehall, aged 84.

A mice-Lives with a torpid liver will

The cleverest marriage swindle of

HAS TWENTY HUSBANDS.

modern times was perhaps Miss Evelyn Leal, a really distinguished-looking Enggiven in marriage at least 20 times during the last three years, while she has been affianced as many times more during the same period, and in every case has succeeded in obtaining handsome presents of jewelry, which she has immediately sold for what they would fetch. Her system, says Lippincott's was to write to some rich bachelor mer

nobleman with a view to matrimony. Strange as it may seem, many of the provincial merchants took the bait. went to Paris, were introduced to the "widow of the English nobleman," allowed to escort her to the theater, make her presents of flowers the first day, gloves the second, while on the third if the ardent would-be husband had not uggested it, she would quietly choose a wedding ring, with a handsome keeper accompanied by a diamond necklace brooch, and earrings, all these to constitute her wedding present. Then she would disappear with her jewels, change her clothes and name, and start the same game with another victim the following day. She would sometimes have two proposals of marriage on hand at the same time; she always calculated upon the frailty of human nature and at the same time; she always calculated the great dislike the victims would have to being publically exposed to ridicule for having so simply been taken in with the promises of the fair Englishwoman. Now she is being boarded and clothed at the expense of the French state, which unon the recommendation of the aus

chant in the provinces, offering to in

troduce him to the widow of an English

How's This?

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The Pioneer brick plant, the oldest of the paving brick yards of Galesburg, was sold at master's sale for \$1,8450. It was orginally bonded for \$50,000. The pur-chaser was J. B. Coleman, of Clinton,

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The old water town at Mt. Pulaski, which has for many years been of great service to that city, collapsed recently

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Blue Mound is preparing to extend and improve the system of water works, and a man who visited there says they will have the best system for a small town of

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS. SS. MACON COUNTY. In the Officult Court, June Term, A. D. 1896. Buelah M. Seely vs. Alexander Isbeet et al-No. 15.586. plaintiff, and Alexander Isbeel and Victoria isbeel are defendants, for which summons has been issued, made returnable at the court house in Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the first Monday is June, A. D. 1896. Now, unless you, the said Alexander Isbeel and Victoria Isbeel, shall be and appear before the said circuit court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1896, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

Bunn & Park, Sol. for Complainant.

April 15-daw

CHANCERY NOTICE.

te of Illinois, County of Macon, SS.—In the Circuit Court to the June Term, 1896. Circuit Court to the June Term, 1896.
Charles M. Allison vs. Audiev D. Risley. Luella Risley, Hiram Johnson, Edward L. Pegram, James Millikin and O. B. Gorin, surviving partners of J. Millikin & Co.
Afildavit of the nonresidence of Audiey D. Risley and Luella Risley, two of the defendants above named, baving been filed in the office of the cierk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Audiey D. Risley and Luella Risley that the complainant filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof on the 13th day of April, 1896, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable on the itrat day of June next, 1896, as by law required.

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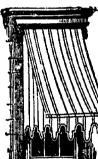
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Affidavit that James A. Wayts and Laura Wayts are not nor is either of them residents of the state of Illinois, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the county court in said county and state in the matter of said petition:

Public notice is hereby given to James A. Wayts and Laura Wayts that J. W. Butman,

office of the clerk of the county court in said county and state in the matter of said petition:
Public notice is hereby given to James A. Wayts and Laura Wayts that J. W. Butman, the administrator of the estate of Andrew Wayts, deceased, heretofore filed a petition in said court in the matter of said estate for the said of real estate to pay debts, and that Barbara L. Gill, John Gill, James A. Wayts, Laura Wayts, Martha J. Thatcher, John N. Thatcher, Robert A. Wayts, Clarinda Wayts, Thornton L. Wayts, Cassle V. Lowrie, John A. Lowrie, Sylvester Ellis, Effic Ellis, John Ellis, Myttle Ellis and John A. Brown are defendants to said petition.

That said petition will be presented to the county court or said county and state at the June term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county and state, beginning on Monday, the first day of June, A. D. 1886; that said petition prays for the said ocrtain premises situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, and described as follows, to-wit: The south hair the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section twenty-four, in township sixteen north, range two east of the third principal meridian.

Now, therefore, unless you the said James A. Wayts and Laura Wayts shall be and appear before the said court on the first day of said term, and plead, answer or demur to the said petition the same and the matters and thing therein stated will be taken as confessed and a decree entered accordingly.

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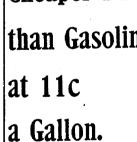


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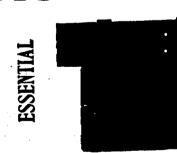
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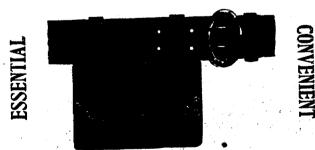
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MONDAY, APRIL 27, 1896. LOCAL NEWS.

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clusively by Whitley Judge Vail returned to Sullivan today o resume the session of the Moultrie minty circuit court.

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Garden and flower seeds of all kinds. reet peas and nasturtium in bulk. Geo. Durfee & Bro., 158 South Water street. The Buyers and Merchants' Benefi

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tire living expenses. Call upon the manger, L. Chodat, and learn how. Come and see the "Quick Meal" at our opening. Bachman Bros. & Mar-

tin Co. Give the Little Rose and Bouquet cigars trial. They are made by Michl and are

Select one of those favorite pianos or sale at the C. B. Prescett music house. They are among the best to be had. The leaders are the Haines and Reed & Son's

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

At the funeral of J. Frank Kazar on Sunday, there were many beautiful flow the floral offerings: The K. of P. society, a shield of roses; Royal Neighbors of America, large star and coescent; Daughters of Robecca, gates ajan; Old Fellows, three links of roses; horse sheers, a large

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republicans of the several townships or districts in Alacon county are requested to select delegates to attend the county convention to be voted for at the general election to be held

Tuesday, November 3rd, 1896: One States Attorney.
One Clerkef the Circuit Court.

based upon the Republican vote east for presi-dential electors in 1892, being one delegate for every fifty, or fraction of twenty-five votes or

Each district or township will be he following delegates Districts.

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A primary election will be need in each com-ship and voting district at the places designated by the chairman of said township or district. Austin and Decatur townships will hold their primaries on Friday, May 15, 1896, from 4 o'cteck to 7:30 o'cteck p. m. All ether townships will hold their primaries on featurday, May 16, 1896. from 2 o'clock to 5 o'clock p. m. Each township or voting district will vote by ballot for the can iidates for the several offices: the candidate ecciving a gurality of the motes cast in each township or district shall neceive the votes of the celegates from said township or district in the convention. The township central comm eman for each district shall have charge of the

teman for each district shall have charge of the primary election in his district. When the polis have been declared closed, to-wit: at 5 o'clock in the country termships and at 7:30 o'clock in the city, the veters being assembled for that purpose at the pelling place will elect delegates to represent the townships and districts, as the case may be, in the county

mittee, and shall contain the nave of all candidates who notify the chairman of the mittee of their desire to have their same

R. P. LYTLE Chairman.

THE SUNDAY FIRE.

1:05 o'clock Sunday night, and they had

o make a run to 1367 East Orchard

street, the modest home of a German

whose family was in a high state of ex

citement when the fire fighters reached

he seens. The damage was slight, not

o exceed \$10. The fire was caused by

THE KAZAR FUNERAL.

Burial in Greenwood With Impressiv

at the Baptist Church.

The funeral of the late J. Frank Kaza

took place Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock

efective flue in the kitchen.

Lodge, Knights of Pythias.

At the grave in Greenwood the

urday afternoon from 3 to 5 in honor of

Tamitou is secretary of the Illinois Wo

man's Home Missionary Union of the

meeting of the Springfield association of

society to those present. Refreshment

were served and the Girls' Flower Circle

of the church presented Mrs. Tanitou with

Suppresed Murder Recalled.

Frand to-morrow night.

will be announced later.

Death of Mollie Ferriss

A telegram reached Decatur today state

ng that Miss Mary E. Ferriss had died at

607 Washington Boulevard in Chicago at

8 o'clock Sunday evening, April 26. The

Bride of this city and had been seriously

ill for over a year. She made her home

in Decatur with Mrs. Dr. J. N. Bills un-

til last July when she returned to Chi-

eago. She was past 40 years of age. The

burial. The place and hour of the funeral

School of Instruction

The Wabash railroad opened a two day

time table room in the passenger depot.

The school was given under the following

est, Ill. About seventy engineers, fire-

men, brakemen and conductors were ex-

Humming Wires

The humming of telegraph wires is a

asters: F. C. Paimer, George Jen-

Congregational Missions which convene

Congregational church and will attend

the Odd Fellows Corganization

The G. S. Lyon & Son's Lumber Co. Plant in a Blaze.

LOSS, \$12,000; INSURANCE, \$10,000.

Splendid Work by the Fire Depart-Structure.

Shortly after 6 o'clock Sunday morning | an audience which copmletely filled the fire broke out in the planing mill of church. There was a great display of floral tributes, the offerings of fraterna the G. S. Lyon & Son's Manufacturing and Lumber Co., at the corner of North societies of which the deceased was member and of relatives and friends Broadway and East Cerro Gordo street. The music which was of a very beautifu For a time the whole block was threatened with destruction but by the excellent work of the firemen the blaze was Mr. DeBlois, of Alton, who was the supprevented from spreading. The machinply for the day. The address was quite ery room, a large two story frame building, 80x53 feet in dimensions was entirely gutted and everything in it ruined. The loss was covered by insurance. The fire was first discovered by the oc-

cupants of the boarding house on the opposite side of the street. An explosion took place inside of the building on the second floor and this attracted the attenblaze. An alarm was at once sent in and the Knights of Pythias and members of the entire fire department responded. When the firemen arrived the fire had a big headway and it looked like it would surely spread before it could be gotten under control. The place was like a seething urnace and the firemen worked hard fighting it. The blaze was confined enirely to the building in which it started. On the north and west sides of the blazing structure were sheds covering piles of lows, and A. H. Cope, N. T. Watson and fine lumber, the sheds being not more C. S. Hankins, of Chevalier Bayard than twieve feet distant. On the east adjoining the frame is the new brick building the doors to which are of iron fitting close. It seemed when the firemen arrived at the place that the entire property would be destroyed, but with and the benediction by the minister. rdable judgment and activity the firemen under the direction of the chief,

C. W. Devore, got water in the right place it could spread. Two streams were put into the room from the south side, one from the west and two from the north ide, one lead of hose being pulled across the Wabash tracks and over the top of the north shed to the platform where the firemen could turn in the water effectively. It required quick work and considerable in Springfield from Tuesday to Thursday nerve to face the furious flame and put next. She addressed the large company them under control. Fortunately it was of ladies on "The Giving Hand" and was calm at that time, or the results would afterwards introduced by Mrs. Barnard, not have been so satisfactory. Had there chairman of the missionary committee been a stiff breeze the whole lumber yard and Mrs. Beraur, president of the ladies plant, together with the oil plant and residences in the neighborhood would

have been endangered. The fire had just been placed under an exquisite bunch of roses. The occacountrol when a serious break in one of sion was a delightful one to all. Mrs. the water mains securred which shut off Tanitou was the guest of Mrs. J. M. all the water supply for half an hour. The break was within fifty feet of the Sunday evening in the Congregational water works and was in the Broadway dhurch on "Our Neighbor." Her easy extion or main. It was a 16-inch sec- address and original way of presenting tion of the main which gave way, caused by the heavy pressure brought into play come speaker wherever she goes and her for the fire. The water had to be shut off large success in creating interest in this for the Broadway-section, and then all line of work places her in the rank of the pressure came thorugh the 12-inch those invaluable officers upon whom the main up South Main street. Later the Home missionary work largely depends. broken section was taken out of the Broadway main and a new section put in place. Had the break occurred at the start of the fire the situation would have been wory critical, and very likely the en-The gravity of the situation did not ted there in 1892. Thomas Hickman, a dawn upon the firemen and the Lyon peo-

ple mutil after the fire was out. ing itself was so badly burned that it track to cover up the crime, or make it will probably not be worth repairing. The fire was in a very dangerous part of town. The lumber yard directly adjoin the mill and still farther west is the plant tion of the city seems to be fated. It was just two weeks ago Sunday that a large ire occurred in the same block across the railroad, when the Cruzan building, the Moore ecoper shop and a residence wa

The cause of the fire is unknown as n one seems able to account for it. One nember of the firm said that the place had been especially well cleaned Saturday night and that there was very little shavings or trash about the place. Chief Devore, of the fire department, said that it was a very difficult fire to fight as it had such a big start. He was proud of the work that his men accomplished in pre venting the spread of the flames and putting it out as seen as they did. The firemen did not all lease the place until after 8 o'clock. It was reported about the city that the whole block was burning and a large number of persons were attracted to

The Loss and Insurance. The owners were unable to say what their loss would be as some of the nachinery may be in such a condition hat it can be repaired. The worst loss to the company will be the suspension of business. They had large orders to fill which they will be unable to do without their mechinery

The entire plant, buildings, machinery and lumber, was covered with a blanket nsurance of \$10,000., divided with seve different companies as follows: With the H. L. Oldham agency: Hartford Insurance Co., of Hartford, Conn., \$2,000; North British and Mercantile Insurance Co. of London, Eng., \$2,000; Fire Association of Philadelphia, \$2,000; Orient Insurance Co. of Chicago, \$1,000; Wester Underwriters of Chicago, \$1,000.

With the Lewis & Moore age Broadway Insurance Co. of New York, \$1,000; Firemen's of Baltimore, Md., \$1, 000. Total insurance, \$10,000.

on which has not yet been sat-The building will be repaired or isfactorily explained. It is not caused by built at once and in the meantime come provision will probably be made whereby

CHURCH NEWS.

Sermons on Sunday in the Sanctuaries-Personal and Other Notes.

GOOD ADVICE TO THE YOUNG MEN.

Pastor Howe Alludes to the Holmes Homicide-Dr. DeBlois at the Baptist

at the Baptist church in the presence of Presbyterian Church. At the First Presbyterian church Sunday evening Rev. W. H. Penhallegon In the course of his remarks he gave some character was by the church choir and Young Man With a New Experience. the services were conducted by the Rev. He said that there were quite a number of young men who attended his church who were just starting in life and many poetical at times and was an excellent esson to the living on the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death, with a rich promise of rest and bliss in the future state for all who live an unright Christian life. Assembled in the church vere members of Celestial and Decatur lodges of Odd Fellows, Daughters of Rewas to be gained it nad to be paid for. Blacksmith and Horseshoers' branch, to make a great show and in this way make stan. Admission fee will include refreshed. These societies formed the escort the young man believe that he can only from the house to the church and from the church to the cemetery. There were their ill gotten gains would always bring them to a bad end. The speaker said tions of recent years was the appearance nearly two hundred members of the varithat there were four or five things that a couple of seasons ago, on the London ous societies in the escort. The pallbearthe young man from the country should stage, of Sydney Grundy's emotional melers were L. N. Cope, Al Leach and C. A. not forget He should not forget the odrama "Sowing the Wind." Subse-Hathaway of Celestial lodge of Odd Felplain way of living at his father's house. When a boy did not have fine clothes and sending money at home it was not neces sary for him to plunge into the depths of Its treatment of a delicate social problem remonies of the Pythian order and of fashion and have plenty of money to lavish on his friends. To live beyond one's herved and there was a song by the choir means in this way meant certain ruin. The young man had the choice of two

sourses. If he could not shine in society or dress elegantly he could live along in by all. the old way he was taught at home. Or he could take the other course and try to keep up the same appearances of wealthy persons. There was nothing to be ashamed of in confessing that one was poor but most persons will rather conceal their poverty than to have to confess it. Even women will say that they do their own housework because they enjoy it when the truth is that they are compelled to work to keep the wolf from the door. The speaker then mentioned the cares of ex-President Harrison, Henry Ward eacher and Prof. Swing, all of whom now speak with pride of the time when they struggled with poverty. The young nan was urged not to forget the princioles taught him at home. He should never forget the sun-burned father and wrinkled mother and the brothers and sisters at home who has not had the Oreary while in the city and she spoke same advantages of education. They need not change his religion simply because he has come to the city to live. Let him have a creed which he believed to be the truth and live a consistent life. First Methodist Church. Rev. D. F. Howe preached to a large

congregation at the First Methodist charch Sunday morning. His subject was "From the Shepherd's Standpoint." He said that the world could only be advanced to a higher moral standard by leadwatch in a bank of a cout on the Wabash ing and not by forcing. People were led railroad in Monticello Friday night reto an advanced stage of art, music and wived talk of a supposed murder commitscience and not forced to it. So it was farmer boy, was, it was claimed at the with religion. People could not be forced inte it but they must be led. This was the Christian church will hold a business time, while intoxicated, taken by a round-Everything inside of the building which about way to this cut and there murdered the true christian principle of the shep-Moreover persons who would make been stat mothers Christians must be Christians appear a case of suicide. The watch has themselves just as a man must be a musien positively identified by the mother of cian before he can teach others music. will not express themselves in regard to Hickman. It is not believed, had he con- At the evening service Mr. Howe gave a the matter but it is probable that such templated suicide, that he would have prelude to his evening sermon on "Holmes, the Homicide. hidden these articles, but rather would

First Baptist Church. The pulpit of the First Baptist church was occupied Sunday by Rev. Austin K. DeBlois, president of Shurtleff college, at Upper Alton. He preached both in the morning and evening. The new pastor, Rev. MacGregor, who has been called here to succeed Rev. Jordan, who recently resigned, is expected in the city the middle of the week. He will take charge of the church Sunday when he will deliver his Other Church News.

Rev. C. Galeener, presiding elder, preached at Grace Methodist church Sunday morning and evening to large congre At St. John's Episcopal church Sunday

morning, in addition to music by the choir, a vocal solo was rendered by George Thursday evening an entertain will be given at the lecture room of the

First Methodist church. The woman's missionary society of St. John's church will hold a tea on Tuesday ceased was a sister of Mrs. L. F. Mc. afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hott, on

East Decatur street. The general conference of the Methodist church will be held at Cleveland, Obio Rev. C. Galeener will attend from this

Rev. A. M. Danely preached at the El body will be brought to Decatur for win Methodist church Sunday morning and at the Blue Mound chapel in the afternoon. He will begin soon giving a lecture at the different churches in the circuit on "King Solomon and the Glory school of instruction at Springfield in the of His Reign.'

Mrs. W. J. Hostetler sang a solo en titled "The Shadows of the Evening Hours," at the evening service at the kins, of Decatur, and Mr. Ballou, of For- First Presbyterian church Sunday even

The second Sunday in June has been chosen as Children's Day and will be ob served as such by the Methodist churche in Decatur cicruit. "The Bicycle and Christianity," wa

the subject of a sermon delivered Sunda wind, for it is heard during perfect evening at the Christian Tabernacle by claims. It has been conjectured that Rev. George F. Hall. There were quit resure, which lighten or a number of bicyclists present. Rev. J. F. Schook, of Forest Grove

l Ore., preached at the Church of God Sun-

day evening. The meening on conducted by the paster, Rev. J. The building committee of the Cumberceiving plans for the church which they expect to build. They will make a miles tion and then take active measures to raise the necessary funds. They already have quite a large sum.

THE SOCIAL EVENT

Of the Season-Living Pictures, Artistic

From sketches in life by Charles Dans Gibson will be given by St. John's chapter of St. John Episcopal church Wednesday evening, April 29th, at Knights of Pythias hall, opera house block. The entertainment will consist of eighteen different scenes illustrating the different phases of society life, each scene will be in costume true to life. Among the striking scenes will be Gibson's Ideal Girl, His Summer Girl, Woman in the Evening Gown. The American Girl Abroad is acknowledged as one of his noted drawings and will be shown surrounded by a group of English nobility. Some of the other scenes equally as striking. At the Summer Hotel, In Leap Year, Find the Girl That Has been Kissed within Ten Minutes together with others equally as attractive. One of the pleasant features of songs between the scenes by the choir boys of the church under the direction of R. W. Chilson. A solo by George Dun-

Sowing the Wind.

the greatest theatrical sensaquently it was produced in New York and other leading cities of this country, and everywhere won universal attention was so daring, that it almost took one's breath away at first, but the seriousness and honesty of its purpose was so appearent that its audacity was overlooked and its wholesome moral tone was admitted

There is no more popular play on the stage today and the people in this city are fortunate in having an opportunity to witness its producton by one of the best companies on the road. It will be the day evening, April 28.

Decatur Club Defeated Several hundred persons went from this

city to Springfield Sunday to see the Decatur and Springfield base ball clubs play. The result of the game was a disappoint ment to the Decatur people as the Springfield nine defeated their visitors by a score of 28 to 5. Flynn and Vest were the pitchers and Decker the catcher for the Decatur club. It was the first game that the new nine have played and then were not discouraged by their defeat and say that they will be all right when they practice a little more. The ball park im, were all his kinsmen. The young man this city will be done soon and the first game will be played on May 3.

Hend Operters McKinley Republican Club The Republican state convention will be held in Springfield, Ill., Wednesday; April 29th. It is desirable for as many nembers of the Decatur McKinley club to attend its sessions as possible. The Wabash railroad has on male round trip tickets to be sold April 27, 28 and 29th, good to return not later than May 2nd, for \$1.16.% J. G. Badenhausen, Pres., W.

The members of the official board of meeting next Monday evening. It has: Hall's place. The members of the board action will be taken

Edward Brown, aged 16 years, who escaped from the jail at Rockville, Ind., a week ago, was arrested Saturday night by Officer Cross. It was an easy thing for Cross to nab the young fellow, as he gave himself up on the supposition that the officer was looking for him. Brown is

At the family residence, No. 545 Cemtral avenue, at 3 p. m., April 26, John P. Boyle, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Boyle.

vanted for burglary.

The fuperal was held at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at St. Patrick's church and the burial was at Greenwood cemetery.

Senatorial Convention

The several counties in the 41st Sematoris-district are requested to send delegates to a Senatorial Convention to be held at Desater. Macon county, on the 7th day of May, 1986, at the court house, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., to nominate two candidates for the Legislature. The basis of representation to said con

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MONDAY, APRIL 27, 1896.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

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| April | | | | 29% |
| Ma) | 29% | 291/4 | 2914 | 2914 |
| July | 304 | 30% | 3016 | |
| September | 31 % | 31 % | 31% | 31% |
| Outs | 31.4 | 31 /6 | 51/4 | 01.4 |
| April | | | | 18% |
| Ma y | 19% | 19: | 183 | 187 |
| July | 19% | 193 | 19% | 19% |
| Pork- | | | /- | , |
| April | — | | | |
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| May | 4 15 | 4 16 | 4 10 | 4 10 |

TO-DAT'S RECEIPTS-OAR LOTS. Wheat—12. Estimated, 12; Year ago, 55. Jonn—33s. Estimated, 280; a year ago, 277. timated, 190; a year ago, 222. ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 15; Corn, 425; onts, 400. Hog receipts 44,000; estimated 27,000. Market active, 5c to 10c lower. Light, \$3,45@\$3.75, mixed, \$8.80@\$3.65, neavy, \$8.15@\$3,55; rough #8.1'-Ø \$3.35.

Cattle receipts 8,500; market firm, higher

LONDON, 1 p. m.-Off coast, wheat quiet bu meady. corn quiet. On passage Wheat, sellers streets, Cincinnati, being recalled, said facilitierent, corn, firm. English country mar on the stand that he had known Scott kets quiet but steady. French country markets quiet. Danubian shipments to Europe. Wheat, 384,000 qrs; com. 35,000 qrs. LIVERPOOL, 1 p. m.-Wheat, spot, quiet

fatures, quiet: Corn, spot, quiet, futures NEW YORK STOCKS.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Stocks opened active, higher, in sympathy with London. Realizing sules caused slight reaction, and at eleven o'clock the market was steady. London buying After eleven o'clock market was quiet, firm.

After eleven o'clock market was quiet, firm. NEW YORK MARKET.

Eggs, quiet, 10@11. Wheat, Ju y, 70%. Corn July, 36%. Oat

ST. LOUIS MARKET

Br. Louis, April 27.—Wheat, eash, No. 1904, 84c; July, 59 %c. Corn, cash, 26%; July, 279 Onts, cash, 173a; July, 183a. PEORIA QUOTATIONS.

PROBIA, April 27.-Corn, steady; No. 2, 29 hats, steady; No. 2, white, 194@695. Rye, 879

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Today Mrs. James L. Beavns received the news of the death of Doris, the twoyear-old daughter of Mrs. S. A. McWhote at Owecha. Neb. The deceased was the only daughter and the youngest of four children Mrs. McWhorter is a sister of

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'A three days' session of the Kankal Tristrict Ministerial association came to a close at Watseka on the 29d. Preside Elder Williams had charge of the proceed

Arrangements are now all complete for the feventh annual meeting of the Illineis Valley Anniversary association, I. O. O. F., at Paxton next Friday.

Mrs. Nellie Read, wife of Rev. J. C. Head, of Moline, died on the 99d, aged She will be buried at Metamora, her

William Crum, an employe of the Big 4 with illegal voting at the recent

Daily Republican THE JACKSON TRIAL.

Will Wood, the Cousin of the Murdered Giri,

EXPLAINS HIS PART IN THE TRAGEDY

that Induced Her to Go to Cincinnati for Treatment-Testimony of Other Witnesses.

NEWPORT, Ky., April 26 .- Will Wood

was on the witness stand in the Pearl

Bryan murder case when court con-He stated the intimacy of his friendship for Scott Jackson during his stay of nearly a year in Greencastle. He also admitted that he had introduced Jackson to his second cousin, Pearl Bryan, and that since Jackson's departure last October from Greencastle the association at the office of delivery. correspondence with him, and that letters from Jackson to him personally were destroyed by him, according to Jackson s request His testimony was to the effect that he knew that Pearl

was in trouble, and that he received a letter from Jackson in Cincinnati requesting Pearl to go to Cincinnati to be relieved. He showed the letter to Pearl that day. She read it and asked

witness: .
"What would you do if you were

Witness answered: "Decide for yourself."

The next day, which was Saturday, January 25, she told Wood she was going to Cincinnati on Monday, January He saw her off on Monday, assisted her on the train, and that was the last he saw of her.

In the cross-examination the questions indicated that the defense had testimony from several men showing, in the form of depositions, that Wood had boasted to them of improper intimacy with Pearl Bryan. This questioning was to lay the foundation for the depositions of these persons in the defense Wood positively denied every statement of the depositions.

W. L. Foertmever, druggist, was put upon the stand, and testified that two men and a woman answering the description of Jackson, Walling and deceased had come into his store at Bellevue, Ky., and inquired the nearest route to Walnut Hills, Cincinnati. This was on the day preceding the tragedy, he thought.

Miss Katie Holmes and John Foster, of Bellevue, corroborated Foertmeyer, and court adjourned at noon.

The afternoon session began with the testimony of ex-Sergeant-of-Police Stegner, who testified that Jackson had given him the bloody value the night after the murder, and told him not to deliver to anyone but himself. Detective Herman J. Wittee testified to finding the bloody coat and rest in a catch basin in Cincinnati. Judge Helm ruled out testimony of

Jackson's confession until the prosecu-

tion should prove that it was made

without duress. Policeman Kinney said that he saw Walling and a girl in the Grand Cen-

tral depot on the evening of January 31. The girl was crying; she resem-bled the picture of Pearl Bryan shown Ex-Sergeant Aloysius Stegner, a saloonkeeper at Longworth and Elm streets, Cincinnati, being recalled, said

Jackson and Alonzo Walling since last October, as customers at his place. He had seen Fred Albion two or three times. Albion and Walling came into the saloon together once. Walling and Jackson came into the saloon frequently together. They got drinks and free lunch. "Did Scott Jackson carry a knife?"

showed it to me. He said he used i

for dissecting purposes."

Detective Witte was again asked for, he had gone. John Legner was called for, but was not present

William Bulmer, the detective who arrested Scott-Jackson, was now placed on the stand. He lives at 242 Piedmont street. Mount Auburn, Cincinnati. He has been a detective eight years. He was detailed to make the arrest and subsequent search and examination before the mayor. In the search at the Central police station three handkerchiefs, a bridge ticke. and other articles were found on the prisoner. Bulmer then identified the lady's handkerchiefs, which he found on Jackson. One of the 'kerchiefs was in Jackson's outside upper ocke'. Bulmer started to tell what Jackson said then, and Crawford objected Some argument was had on this objection and the judge overruled

The next witness was Mrs. Lessie smith, of Grand avenue and Water works street. Newport. She identified the hat found by Mary Morgan.

"Take it away quick; Idon't like it," 'I saw the hat on the bank she said. where Mrs. Morgan found it the Saturday after the murder, between noon and two o'clock I can tell it, especially by the queer robbin. Attorney Crawford did not go into the cross-examination.

saw the hat on the bank on the Saturday after the murder at 12:30 o'clock ne went near to it and was positive in her identification.

Theresa Franken, of Grand avenue

It was 4:58 o'clock when Scott Jack on was taken out of court. The tria was adjourned until Monday.

to Cores to Watch the Tricky Bus LONDON, April 27. —The Observer pub ishes a Shanghai dispatch to a new agency here saying that a proclama-tion declaring a Russian protectorate over Corea is regarded as imminent and that the British fleet has left

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"ECONOMIC POSTAGE SYSTEM."

The house committee on post officer and post roads has ordered a favorable report on the bill of Mr. Loud, of California to extend the uses of the mail service by providing for what is termed the "economic postage system," the object of which is to enable the Economic Postage association to furnish the trades people of the United States a convenient and cheap method of solicplacing orders. To accomplish this purpose the association asks the use of the United States mails, under such provisions as will give absolute secur- control and converted into electric ity as to payment of postage to the govment and under such rules and regplations as may be prescribed by the postmaster general. It is the intention to furnish business men with the coupon cards and envelopes of the association for trading purposes, and it is desired to allow the postage upon all such

to Cincinnati he had kept up a The effect of this legislation will be to on the receiver instead of on the sender It is claimed that all the business men of the United States would give an annual increase of \$30,500,000 net postal revenue as a result of the adoption of this new system.

Lower Brule Sloux Erect a Shaft to

More than a year ago a movement was naugurated among the Lower Brule tribe of the Sioux Indians in South Dakota, to raise, by popular subscription, a sufficient sum to erect a monument to the memory of their dead chief Iron The effort resulted successfully, and a Yenkton firm was given ed, with suitable ceremonies, over the dead chief has been so honored by pop-

ular subscription among the people of his tribe. The grave and monument are situated on a stream named by the Indians Medicine creek. Iron Nation was a prominent figure in Sioux history for a period of more than 60 years, and during the early part of his eventful career was distinctively a war chief leading his fighters in numberless batties against the hereditary enemies of the Sioux-the Pawnees, Gros Ventres,

PRESENT FOR MRS. CLEVELAND. aptain General Weyler Is Alleged to

oncas and Crows.

Have Sent One. The two sons of ex-Consul General Villiams, who arrived at New York iom Havana the other day, brought with them a precious box, three feet high and a foot square, which they guarded most jealously. The box, so the story goes, had inscribed on its top lings. Judge Tighe tried the case very in large letters: "From the Captain General in Cuba to Mrs. Grover Cleveand, in care of E. C. Benedict." After the female members of his family. being duly passed by the customs offinals, the alleged present from Capt. Gen. Weyler to Mrs. Cleveland was taken, according to report, to Mr. Ben-

Mr. Benedict was evasive when asked whelmed by a sense of the tremendous about the matter. "I don't care to dis- responsibility imposed upon him uss Mrs. Cleveland's private business," and he, when asked if he had received many troublesome hours and delved into ponderous law books for precedum; I have many time received and dents in the case, but could find none chiered over 40 packages to Mrs. He therefore would have to be guided leveland.

aggage of the Williams brothers, said woman had a right to raise her skir that it consisted of two trunks, a satchel, to any height not inconsistent with nd a large boy three feet high. They morality. He fined Lindblatt \$25. outained nothing dutable. In the box was a large pen and ink sketch of Mis | FLOWER BATTLE IN CALIFORNIA. Cleveland

A YEAR IN EUROPE.

two Daughters of Vice-President Steven to Travel and Study German. The Misses Julia and Letitia Steven on, daughters of the vice president ill depart early in May for Europe. ood after the r arrival in Europe they the German language Miss Julia's with wreaths and bouquets and the sauce, the son of Hon P. Wat Hardin, brawny tars took an active part in the Kentucky, will join them in Berin in the fall. The three will return to America together, and the marriage of Mr. Hardin and Mrs Stevenson wil e solemuzed in October. A portion f the time the young ladies spend in Curope will be devoted to a visit with nited States Ambassador Ewing a 'russels, Relgium, and his family. Mr. wing is their father's cousin.

Alaminum in the United States Aluminum to the emount of only 15 ounds was used in the United State in 1884, and the pike was \$9 a pound By 1858 19,000 pounds had come to be sed, and the price had dropped to \$3.30 a pound Thereafter the price fell tapidly to \$1.55 in 1899, to \$1 in 1892, and Thereafter the price fell an average of 53 cents in 1894, when the amount used rose to 706,000 pounds The average price last year was 50 cents pound, and the use of the metal had creatly increased, although the exact figures are not yet compiled. Now the rice is down to 48 cents. Most of the output is being turned into cooking utensils, which are finding a rapidly videning market.

Map of Turkey. Arrangements are being made in view preparing a geodesical map of the under the direction of two French of cers, engaged by the government, and three officers of the general staff, name-Col. Riza Bey, Maj. Hakki Bey and Maj. Shevki Bey.

Flowing artesian water has been ob Shanghai to watch the doings of the tained in Cairo at a depth of 507 feet, after passing through 135 feet of rock.

> There are but six occupants of the Champaign county jail at the present time. This is the smallest number of in-Tolono was invaded by a band of burg-

AGGRESSIVE TROLLEY.

Will Soon Hum Through the Streets

of the City of Mexico.

merican Capitalist, Who Has Bought Up All the Existing Lines, Talks of His Project—Novel Use of

City's Sewerage. Henry A. Butters, a capitalist, reached Oakland, Cal., the other day iting trade by mail and the public a from the City of Mexico. Butters left convenient and inexpensive method of last February with the intention of closing a transaction whereby the street railway lines of the City of Mexico would be brought under his

> lines. He has purchased 150 miles of road and will proceed at once to overhaul the property and operate it by elec-tricity. Butters is backed by a Lon-

When seen by a reporter he said:
"I succeeded in buying up the en-tire street railway system of the City of Mexico. Or, rather, I bought all the lines in the city, for there was no sysplace the expense of an order by ma.l | tem. Some were mule lines; some used goats and others steam locomotives. There were in all 150 miles of road. The purchases were made in the interest of a syndicate of London and South African capitalists.

"When in South Africa I was instrumental in buying up a large number of MONUMENT TO IRON NATION. roads in the Transvaal and turning them into electric lines. I saw at a glance when I visited Mexico last fall that the same thing could be done there. Coal is \$20 a ton in Mexico. All the coal is imported. Recently the city began the construction of a tunnel to drain the city. Mexico has never been a very healthy place on accounof the bad drainage. This tunnel will be completed at a cost of \$13,000,000. the contract to construct the monu- I bought the right to use the water ment. This was completed and deliv- after it had been drained from the valered at the agency some weeks ago, and ley. The city is very high, but is surafter many unavoidable delays the rounded by mountains. The fall of shaft of marble has finally been erectmake 10,000 horse power electric cur grave of the dead chief, being the first | rent-more than enough to run the and only instance in the west where a entire street car system and enable us to sell power to others for general use.' Charles Butters, of Berkeley, is brother to H. A. Butters, and was ar-

> LIMIT FOR SKIRT LIFTING. Justice Tighe's Decision for Women

rested with John Hays Hammond and

others during the troubles in the

When Crossing Muddy Streets. The skirt question has been solved by Justice Tighe, of Brooklyn. Mrs. Minme Sutbach had Charley Lindblatt, the bicyclist, before the Solomon of Butler street. She had occasion to cross the street on a stormy day. She raised her skirt just to the level of her shoe top to save it from being bedraggled with mud and slush.
"Oh, wow! wow!" yelled Laudblatt,

who was passing. Then she alleged he added several other words of comment which wounded Mrs. Sutbach's feelthoroughly and also consulted severa dignified South Brooklyn mations and Lindblatt and Mrs. Sutbach were court and the benches were crowded

with women, who rallied there in an ticipation of a decision. His honor was saict, to be forwarded by him to the pale and a trifle nervous when he as cended the bench. He looked over Finally he spoke. He said he had spent tevel...nd."

by common sense and current ideas
Inspector Heim, who examined the He concluded that on a muddy day r

> City of Santa Barbara the Scene of Novel and Beautifui Event.

The largest crowd that ever gathered in Santa Barbara, Cal. througed the streets the other day to witness the battle of flowers, the famous and nove feature of the great flower testival. The procession was headed by a company of 200 marines from the flagship Phil all go to Berlin, where they will adelphia and by the Marine band. The send a year prosecuting the study of arms of the marines were decorated brawny tars took an active part in the battle with roses. The procession passed along the avenue, gay on every side with flying bunting, flags are flowers and spanned with arches of flor

At the battle of flowers, in which bouquets of choice cut flowers were used as ammunition, the spirit of merry field was finally deserted it was strewn with thousands of pretty roses, mara golds, carnations, marguerites and wild flowers of every variety.

A GENEROUS GIFT.

arnegie Steel Company Official to Erect Henry C. Puck, chairman of the Car-Pittsburgh, Pa., a magnificent hospital for children on Squirtel hill, within the next year, at a cost of \$500,000. The building will be erected on a plot of 40 acres which Mr. Frick owns at Phillips and Forward avenues. The plot wil be transformed into a private park and flower garden. The hospital will be placed under the control of the Episco pal church. No money will be spared to make the institution the best of its

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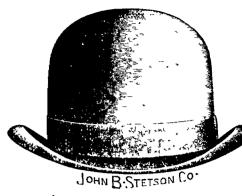
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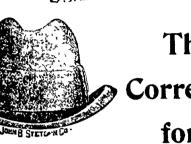
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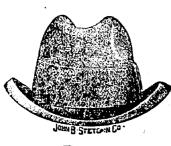
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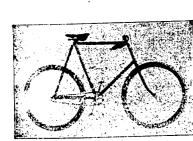
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FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

BENATE.

WASHINGTON, April 26.—The senate made very brief work of the sundry stead of six or nine months. And the senate, itself, beside carrying out the recommendations of the committee, added sums amounting to some two millions more, so that the bill as it passed yesterday, appropriates in round figures, thirty-seven million dol-

There was very little friction in the consideration of the bill. Before it was taken up an effort was made by Mr. Sherman to have action taken on the house bill relative to distillation of fruit brandy, so as to have en-grafted upon it a provision for the re-peal of that section of the tariff law vhich allows a drawback of the tax paid on alcohol used in the arts and n medicine. That section was put in the Wilson bill while it was pending in the senate, with the understanding that it would be thrown out in conference, but owing to circumstances the bill that became law was not the report of a conference committee, and so the alcohol was embodied in the

Mr. Sherman explained that owing to the action of the treasury departnent, the drawback was not operative but that claims running into the millions were being piled up, and it was therefore highly important that the provision should be repealed before the adjournment of congress. He met, however, the combined opposition of senators on his own side, only three of them voting with him to take up the bill, and those votes were offset by the three populists.
All the democrats and the three republicans voted for Mr. Sherman's motion. The result was: Yeas, 22; nays, 27.
At 5:10 the senate adjourned until

The second conference report upon the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was made to the house yesterday and agreed to, another conference being ordered upon the few remaining matters in dispute. The principal subject settled upon by the report made yesterday was that fixing the salaries of the United States district attorneys and marshals. As agreed upon, the total of salaries of attorneys carried in the bill, as it passed the house, was increased \$23,000 and that of marshals was in-

creased \$4,500.

An animated and unexpected inci-An animated and unexpected incident was precipitated in connection with this report. Mr. Grosvenor inquired respecting a provision prohibiting the legislature of Oklahoma from considering any proposition to relocate the capital of the territory. Being informed that that had already been agreed upon by both houses, Mr. Grosvenor declared that "it ought to destroy any man a party to it."

This brought Mr. Flynn, delegate from Oklahoma, to his feet with the

statement that a similar provision had been contained in every bill since the first year of the territory's existence, in obedience to the almost universal demand of the people for protection against a repetition of scandalous scenes enacted in the first meeting of the legislature. The gentlemen from Terms to Suit the Ohio, he assumed, must be under the recollection of other matters or he would not have made that

Mr. Grosvenor repelled the sugges tion, saying that he did not know what the enormously distinguished gentle-man from Oklahoma meant by those words. He had but done his duty and the bombastes furioso performance

The general pension bill was fur-ther discussed for a couple of hours by Grosvenor and Kerr (reps., O.) in support of it, and by Messrs. Bartlett (dem., N. Y.) and Miles (dem., Md.) in opposition, when at 2:20, under a pre-vious order, public business was suspended, and the house listened to the delivery of culogies upon the late Representative W. H. Crane, upon the onclusion of which, at 4:10 olcrock, as a further mark of respect, the house took a recess until eight o'clock, the evening session to be devoted to the discussion of the general pension bill ASSAILED BY A MOB.

union Men Brutally Beaten and Sent to the Hospital.

Philadelphia, April 27.-D. J. Keen an, a nonunion motorman employed by the Union Traction Co., was assaulted at the Belmont-avenue depo in West Philadelphia by a gang of un-ion car men and baddy injured. H. L. Hull, another nonunion motorman who went to Keenan's assistance, was also severely beaten.

The two men were taken to a hos pital, where it was found that two of Keenan's ribs were broken and he was nadly bruised and cut. Hull escaped without broken bones and was not so badly injured.

Keenan insisted that several men in he gang told him he would be "done up" if he did not resign his position.

Warrants were sworn out for two o the ringlead rs of the gang that assaulted Keenau. Since the recen; strike of conduc

ors and motormen of the Union Trac tion Co. a bitter feeling has prevailed between the union and nonunion men Caught at Last.

DETRO T, Mees., April 27. -Police Justice J. Blair Simpson, who was on trial during last week charged with attempted criminal assault on Miss Annie Howlett, was found guilty. He will be sentenced this week. He was equitted on two similar charges pre ferred by other young women.

A Household Tressure.

D. W. Fuller, of Conajoharie, N. Y. says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house, and his family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, druggist, Catekill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best Cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it never failed to do all that it claimed for it. Why not try a remedy

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Curtains, 31/4 yards long and 50 inches wide, \$1 Heavy 2-thread Nottingham Curtains, 31/2

yards long, and 60 inches wide, \$1.50 a pair. 3 1/2 yards Irish Point Curtains, \$3.50 a pair.

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3½ yards Brussels Net Curtains, \$3.95 a pair.

30-inch Embroideried Sash Muslin, Double Bordered 20c a yard. 40-inch Dotted Sash Muslin, 18c a yard.

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A dealer in antiques received a letter from a New England town last week asking what he would pay for George Washington's desk. The writer said that it was in perfect condition, and he could with the old pictures of George Washington's furniture.

"Propably the writer was honest in his pretense that his desk was the original," said the dealer, "but of course it is only one of the many counterfeit that have been made.

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The result of the third was to shad ter Napoleon's hopes of ascendancy by sea, and to force him back on European Late of Chicago, Formerly President of the Medical and Surgical Staff of St Anthony's Hospital, Permanently Located in Decatur, Ill.

Put and Nelson did not disappear were president of the Medical and Surgical Staff of St Anthony's Hospital, Permanently Located in Decatur, Ill. part in the later wars of Napoleon wa that, having, as Pitt said in almost his closing words, saved herself by her energy she saved Lurope by her eximple and assistance

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Sowing Bacteria in the Soil. Herr Notbe, a German scientist, said to have discovered a means of cul tivating the nitrogen absorbing bac lation by leguminous plants to the atmospheric nitrogen, and he believes that the productiveness of certain soils can be increased by sowing these buc teria. As the experiment would cost to try it on an extensive scale

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, 188
MACON COUNTY, 1 the Greunt Court, January term 1896
Clayborn Jones et al vs. Christopher Kruse al—In Chancerv, No 17248 at —in Chancert, No 15248

Public notice is hereby given that in pursu ance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois cute ed at the January term, 1886 of said court in the above entitied cause, I James J Finn, master in chancery of said court, will, on

Saturday, the 9th day of May, 1896, MONEY TO LOAN—On real estate, tarm a-m M chipery, live stock, household glods or good personal security. Houses rented, rents and accounts collected J W Redman, 149 S. Water St. Office hours, 8 a m to 7 30 p. m. First stairway north of Brunswick hotel febt3-dif J OANS—I have money to place on farms and 2 febr cent, on 5 years time, with privilege of payments after the second year. Also local money for nearly all classes of loans Call or address Samuel McBride, 215 North Main street decir fésmo

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CHANCERY NOTICE. TATE OF ILLINOIS, SS

STATE OF ILLINOIS, as MACON COUNTY
MACON COUNTY
In the Circuit Court of Macon County to the Inthe Circuit Court of Macon County to the The People's Savings and and Loan Association vs. Aud'ey D. Eisley, Luells Risley, Myra Meisenheiter, James Milikin and Orville B Gorin, surviving partners of the firm of J Millikin & Co Edward L. Pegram, Hiram Johnson and Edgar C. Foster—In chancery

Hiram Johnson and Edgar C. Foster—In chancery
Affidavit that Audiey D. Risiey, Lucia Risley, Myra Mcisenheller and Ira Meisenheller, four of the defendants above named, are not not is either of them residents of the State of Illinois, having been filed in the office of the circuit court of sald county, and summons having been is used against the above named defendants to the sheriff of Macon county which has been returned as against them not found, notice is hereby given to the said Audiey D. Bisley, Leula Risley, Myra Mcisenheller and Ira Meisenheller that the above named complaints in said court, on the chancery side thereof, which is said court, on the chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendants, returnable to the first day of the next June term of said court against the above named defendants, returnable to the first day of the next June term of said court against the above named to the next June term of said court, to be held at the court bout etn the City of Decatur in said county on the first Monday in the month of June, A. D.. 1898 Now unless you, the said Andrew D. Beleix Vanita Pieter Mercan Walsar



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State of Illinois, County of Macon, SS In the Circuit Court, to the June Term,
A D, 1896

H W Powers vs Audiey D. Risley, Lucila Risley, Myra Meisenheiter, Ira Meisenheiter,
James Millikin and Orville B Gorin surviv
ing partners of the firm of J Millikin & Co,
Edward L Pegram, Hiram Johnson and Macon county

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the defendants above hamed, are not nor is
either of them residents of the estate of Illinois
having been filed in the office of the clerk of
said court in said cause, Notice is hereby given
to said Audley D Risley, Luella Risley, Myra
Me'senhelter and Ira Meisenhelter that said
complainant herebore filed his bill of com
plaint in said court on the chancery side thereof
which suit is still pending. and that a summons complainant nerectore meat in some configuration in said court on the chancery side thereof which suit is still pending, and that a summons thereupon issued out of the said court against the above named defendants returnable on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county and state on the first Monday in the month of June, A. D. 1896

Now unless you the said Audley D. Ristey Lucias Ristey Myra Meisenhelter and Ira Mei wenhelter shall be and appear before said court on the first day of said term, and plead answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things theren contained will be taken as confessed and a decree rendered ac cordingly s

Dated this 11th day of April, A. D. 1896

April 11 d. w. E. MCCLELLAN, Clerk

Special Assessment Notice

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Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the city council of the City of Decatur, having ordered that a certain sewer shall be constructed commencing at a point 500 feet west and 50 feet morthed the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 22, township in north, range 2 east of the 3d P M, theace northeastery following the general course of the branch to the south and of the present culvert of East Wood street, between South Jackson street and the right of way of the Illinois Central Railroad Company in the City of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, the ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the city clerk of said city, have applied to the county court of Macon county, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvements, according to benefits, upon the property to be benefited and an assossment for thereon will be had, at the May term of said court, commencing on the 4th day of May, A D 1896. All persons desiring may then and there appear and make their defense

Decatur, Illinois, April 24 1896.

theresaid court,
May, A D 1896.
Ay then and there appear discussed
Decatur, Illinois, April 24 1896
R P I.Y FLE
S. S NELSON
J. H DURFEE,
Commissioners

Administrator's Sale of Land. Administrator's Sale of Land.

Notice is hereby given that I will, as administrator of the estate of Hamilton McCoy, deceased, on the premises hereinafter described at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon of Saturday, the 16th day of May, A. D. 1886, sell at public vendue to the highest budder for cash in hand, the undivided one-half of the following described real estate, to-wit Lots two (2), three (3) and four (4), in the east half of section one (1), in township sixeeen (16) north, range three (3) east of the third (3d) principal meridian, under and by virtue of an order and decree of the honorable, the county couri of Macon county, pronounced at the March term thereof, A. D 1896, in the matter of the administration of sald estate

April 9, 1895-daw] Hamilton McCoy, dec'd.

Administrator's Notice. Estate of John McGowan, deceased,

Estate of John McGowan, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of John McGowan, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the June term, on the first Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to alteed for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated kile 15th day of April, 1888.

GUY P. LEWIR, Administrator.

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

COUNTY OF MACON. In the Circuit Court of said County and State to the June Term, A. D. 1896 the June Term, A. D. 1896
Oscar J Zimmerman and William A. Shorb vs Audiey D. Risley, Luella Risley Abdiel T. Risley Sarah M. Risley, Charles F. Emery, Edward L. Pegram Hiran Johnson, The County of Macon James Mil likin and Orville B. Gorin, surviving partners of the firm of J. Milikin & Co., Charles L. Griswold, Caroline L. Griswold and Decaul Lumber and Manufacturing Company Affidavit that Audiey D. Risley and Luella Risley, two of the above named defendants are not nor is either of them residents of the State of Illinois, having been filed in the office of the circuit court of said county in said cause, notice is hereby given the said Audiey B. Risley and Luella Risley that the above named

cause, notice is hereby given the said Audier D
Risley and Luella Risley that the above named
defendants heretofore filed their bill of com
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elreuit court of said county and state, which suit
is still pending, and that a summons thereupen
issued out of said court against all of the above
named defendants returnable on the first day of
the next June term of said court, to be held at
the court house in the City of Decatur in said
county and state on the first Monday in the
month of June A D, 1896.

Now unless you, the said Audiey D Risley and
Luela Risley, shall be and appear in said court
on the first day of the said term thereof and
plead answer or demur to the said bill of com
plaint, the same and the matters and things
therein contained will be taken as confessed
and a decree rendered accordingly
Dated this 10th day of April, A D 1897
April 10-d-tw]

E MCCLELLAN Clerk

CHANCERY NOTICE. COUNTY OF MACON. | 58 In the Circuit Court To the June Term

Susan Vickery Divorce Susan Vickery

James Vickery.

Affidavit that James Vickery, defendant in the above entitled cause, is not a resident of this state, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of said count, notice is hereby given to the said James Vickery that the above named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court on the Chancery side theoreof, which suit is still pending, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendant, returnable on the 1st day of the next June term of said court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said count on the first Monday in the month of June A D 1986. Unless you the said James Vickery shall be and appear, on the first day of said term of said court, and plead answer or demut to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 27th day of March A D 1996

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Cierk of said Court

CHANCERY NOTICE.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, 4s

MACON COUNTY.
In the Circuit Court to the June Term A D 1896
W. H. Whittington vs. Lida A Whittington—
Affidavit that Lida A Whittington's residince
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term of said court; to be held at the court
house in the City of Decatur. In said county on
the first Monday in June, A. D 1893.
Now unless you, the said Lidas A Whittington
shall be and appear on the first day of the said
term of the circuit court and plead answer of
demur to the said bill of complaint the same
will be taken as couriessed and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof
Dated this 22d day of April, A D 1999. GRAY & GRAY, Attorneys for plaintiff

Estate of Otto E. Curtis. Deceased
The understaned having been duly appointed
administratrix of the estate of Otto F curtis
lake of the county of Mason and state of Hillodi
deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear
before the seemity court of Mason county, at
the court house in Decatur, at the successive of the first Honday in June next
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Administratrix' Notice.



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MEN'S HATS.

The weather is hot but you can come to the Savings for this sale for 3c only.

15 dozen Straw Hats, price 25c, Savings Bank price or 15 dozen Straw Hats, fine quality, price 75c, Savings F 9 dozen Men's Black Fedoras, price \$1 00, Savings Bat 9 dozen Men's Fine Hats, would be a bargain at

price only \$1 20.

50 Boys' Knee all wool Suits, sizes 4 to 14, a big barg pinct only \$1.45.
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25 dozen Ladies' Waists, price 50c, Savings Bank price 150 dozen Ladies' Shirt Waists in dark colors, only 29c 250 Ladies' Shirt Waists just as good as you pay 75c for, 3 dozen tasse silk Shirt Waists, price \$4 00, Savings Ban 75 Ladies' Waists, price \$1 25, Savings Bank price 75c 15 Ladies' Silk Waists, would be a bargain at \$6 00, Sav DRESS GOODS DEPARTA

3,500 yards of Orees Ginghams to be sold during this s 2,00 yards of Corded Marquis Dress Goods, latest sur

Best Lining at 3½c. 250 yards all wool silk finish Henrietta, just as good as LINEN DEPARTMEN

500 yards Red Table Linen, price 45c, Savinge Bank price 450 yards Bleached Table Linen, sold for 50c, Savings 450 yards Bleached Table Linen, sold for 55c, Savings 550 yards Bleached Table Linen, something very fine,

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During this sale we will give big bargains in our M can buy Hats and Flowers for less than one half what where All shapes bought of us trimmed free of charge

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CHANCERY NOTICE. COUNTY OF MACON.

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Now unless you, the said Audiey D. Risley and Luella Risley, shall be and appear in said court on the first day of the said term thereof and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein contained will be taken as confessed and a decree rendered accordingly.

Dated this 10th day of April, A. D. 1896.

April 10-day] E. MCOLELLAN, Clerk.

CHANCERY NOTICE. TATE OF ILLINOIS | 85 In the Circuit Court County OF MACON. | 85 To the June Term, A. D. 1896. Susan Vickery Divorce.

Susan Vickery Vs.

James Vickery Divorce.

James Vickery defendant in the above entitled cause, is not a resident of this state, having been filed in the office of the clircuit Court of said county, notice is hereby given to the said James Vickery that the above named complaint in said court, on the Chancery side thereof, which ruits is still pending, and that a summons thereupen issued out of said court against the above named defendant, returnable on the 1st day of the next June term of said court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday in the month of June. A. D. 1896. Unless you the said James Vickery shall be and appear, on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree rendered according to the paret thereof.

Dated this 27th day of March. A. D. 1896.

he prayer thereof, Dated this 27th day of March, A. D. 1896. E. MCOLELLAN. March28-d4w Cierk of said Court. CHANCERY NOTICE.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS. SS

MACON COUNTY.

In the Circuit Court to the June Term. A. D. 1886

W. H. Whittington vs. Lida A. Whittington—
Divorce.

Affidavit that Lida A. Whittington's residence
cannot be ascertained after due and diligent inquiry having been filed in the office of the circuit court of said county, notice is
hercby given to the said Lida A. Whittington
that the above named complainant heretofore
filed his bill of complaint in said ceurt, on the
chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending,
and that a summons thereupon issued out of
said court against the above named defendant,
returnable on the first day of the next June
term of said court, to be held at the court
house in the City of Decaur. In said count, on
the first Mooday in June, A. D. 1896.

Now unless you, the said Lida A. Whittington,
shall be and appear on the first day of the said
term of the circuit court and plead, answer or
demnt to the said bill of complaint the same
will be taken as confessed and a decree rendered according to the prayer inercor.

Dated this 22d day of April, A. D. 1896.

GRAY & GRAY, Attorneys for plaintiff.

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Administratrix' Notice.

Savings Bank Store,

CORNER PARK AND WATER STREETS, DECATUR, ILL.,

Special Sale for Seven Days.

We must call this sale on account of being overcrowded with stock, which just arrived from the markets. All brand new and desirable goods will be slaughtered at very low and unparalleled prices.

Bargains! Bargains! Bargains!

of dozen Ladies' Waists, price 50c, Savings Bank price only 23c.
10 dozen Ladies' Shirt Waists in dark colors, only 29c.
20 Ladies' Shirt Waists just as good as you pay 75c for, Savings Bank price 48c.
3 lozen tasse silk Shirt Waists, price \$4.00, Savings Bank price only \$1.75.
75 Ladies' Waists, price \$1.25, Savings Bank price 75c.
15 Ladies' Silk Waists, would be a bargain at \$6.00, Savings Bank price \$2.98.

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1500 yards of Corded Marquis Dress Goods, latest summer goods sold for 25c and yards of Corded Marquis Dress Goods, latest summer goods sold for 25c Best Lining at 31/2.
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yards Red Table Linen, price 45c, Savings Bank price only 25c.
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50 yards Bleached Table Linen, sold for 55c, Savings Bank price only 28. 50 yards Bleached Table Linen, something very fine, sold for 75 to 85, Savings

GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS DEPARTMENT.

5 dozen men's Over Shirts, price 50c, Savings Bank price 15c. 5 dozen men's Over Shirts, better quality, worth 45c, Savings Bank price 25c. 6 Shirts, just as good as you would pay 60c for, Savings Bank price 30c. dozen Night Shirts, emb. bosom, price 75c and \$1.00, for this sale 48c.

MEN'S HATS.

The weather is hot but you can come to the Savings Bank and get a straw hat this sale for 3c only.

15 dozen Straw Hats, price 25c, Savings Bank price only 9c.

15 dozen Straw Hats, fine quality, price 75c, Savings Bank price only 48c.

15 dozen Men's Black Fedoras, price \$1.00, Savings Bank price only 48c.

19 dozen Men's Fine Hats, would be a bargain at \$2.00, Savings Bank Price

BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

of dozen Boys' Knee Pants to be sold during this sale at 19c only.

Here is something to make the boys happy and a big bargain at that. Boys' (veralls from 4 years to 12, with apron hip jackets only 23c.

To Boys' Knee all wool Suits, sizes from 4 to 14, a bargain at \$2.00, Savings Bank

once only \$1.20. 50 Boys Knee all wool Suits, sizes 4 to 14, a big bargain at \$2.25, Savings Bank net only \$1.45. 50 Boys' Knee all wool Suits, sizes 4 to 14, a big bargain at \$2.75, Savings Bank

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

\$1,000 worth of Shoes. Men's Ladies' and Children's, to be closed out at half the Hamfacturing price, as we have no room to keep a shoe stock in our store, as we ant to close them out.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

To give inducements to the ladies to visit our Millinery department we are abliged to give big bargains.

50 Ladies Fine Trimmed Hats worth \$1.50 at 85c.

75 Ladies """ 2.00 at \$1.10.

50 Ladies Fine Lace Hats trimmed in jets, tips and ribbons, worth \$5.00; our

price \$2.50.

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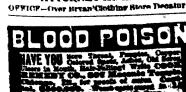
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R. R. TIME TABLES. In effect March 29, 1896.

Rejected Lover Was Afraid It Was to Bo "I prize your friendship very highly Mr. Spoonamore," the young woman said, with profound compassion in he manner, according to Titbits, "but I have examined my own heart and it grieves me to have to say that any closer tie between us is impossible. It can never be. If you could know the pain it causes me to—"

HYPNOTIZED AND BURIED.

Morbid sentiment has apparently reached its height in England in a recent hypnotic exhibition at the Royal aqua-

rium, at which the subject was liter-

ally buried alive and allowed to remain

so for six days, declares the New York World. The hypnotized man was scaled

up in a stout casket, and, in the presence of the spectators, lowered into a

grave nine feet deep.

The lid of the casket was furnished

with an aperture, and this connected

with the shaft which led to the surface.

making respiration possible, and also

At least seven feet of earth were showeled on top of the coffin, and for the

period of six days it was not dis-

On the seventh day the casket was

dug up in the presence of a large crowd.

The man when awakened was apparent-

count of the distressing spectacle,

"It is difficult to imagine a more re volting experiment than this. Even granting that these trances have any

use whatever-which we ourselves fail

o admit-there can be no possible ex-

cuse for making them more horrible

than they already are by burying the

"Any experiment it was desired to

perform could have been done equally

well by sealing the man up in the box without going through the details of

burying him and digging him up again. Moreover, under such circumstances, it

s impossible to give him aid quickly

should he need it, and, although acci

dents may be rare in hypnotism, their

possibility is by no means to be neg

INSULT TO INJURY.

v none the worse for his experience. The London Lancet, which prints the

comments on it, saying:

enabling spectators to view the face

"The pain it causes you!" he echoed.
"What do you know of pain, Miss McGinnis? Listen! Asleep or awake, for
five long weeks your image has been
constantly before me. You have ocgunied all my thoughts filled my heart 'Friends! Will friendship restore to nis normal condition a wretched being whose flesh has wasted away till even his washerwoman doesn't know him?" "I am sorry Mr. Spoonamore," responded the young woman, gently, her

ingers straying in a mechanical way over the piano, "but it is all I can offer you. And if—" "Maud McGinnis!" he gasped, a wild

light dilating his eyes, "I-I can bear the pain of your refusal, but do not, do add insult to injury; do not spurn me from your presence to the tune of

TOO MUCH SLANG.

Ilia English

A countryman of Goethe gives an in stance of the difficulty a foreigner ha with the English language. He was invited out to dinner soon after his aitival in England and was desirous of saying something in a very pleasant way, and made use of the following expression: "Will you have the blooming indness to," etc He used it in the ense that the word "blooming" is used in German as being something very charming and beautiful, little knowin hat havoe slang has played with the in Unclaud. He was absolute! at a loss to understand why every body was so utterly horrified at what he thought was an extremely nice ex

A Jerusalem Landlord. .The landlord of the Jerusalem hotel t Jaffa is named Hardegg. He is a lerman, who tinges everything connected with his establishment with a sacred hue. The two wings of his hote ire respectively designated the Old Testament and the New Testament while the 12 100ms in each correspondingly beer the names of the 12 triber of Israel and the 12 apostics. Before leaving Mr. Hardegg presents cech tourist with a little book of his own composing, styled "Bible Pills," and carrying on its covers the injunction: One to be taken every night and ricin-

ing to assist your spiritual digestion."

A Risky Feat. The Northwest Megazine says that a running a steamboat from Rainy take river to Rainy Lake, in northern Appresota, the craft was compelled to olunge over falls ten feet high. With he force of the current and the full head of steam the steamboat shot out of the water full length, exposing the vhole boat bottom, keel, wheel udder, and then dropped into the boiling, swirling water below the falls. The current was swift, strong and tortuous, but, luckily, the captain guided his craft safely into quiet water.

Red Man's Medicine.

The Indian pharmacopæia comprised thoroughwort, spurge and Indian temp, used as emetics; the bark of the chestnut and butternut, used as aphartics. They were also acquainted with many poisons, most of which they used on their weapons. For asthma they employed tobacco and sassafras for coughs, slippery elm; for dropsy, the wild gooseberry; for wounds, pow-dered puff balls. They treated boils

One Minute Cougn Cure touches the right spot. It also touches it at the right time if you take it when you have a cough or cold. See the point? Then don't cough. West's Drug Store.

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Sunday. Vandella Line.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

TATE OF ILLINOIS \ ss In the Circuit Court to the June Term,
A. D. 1896.

Frank Batchelder vs Lewis Curtis et al.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that the defendants. Robert Dyson, Jeremiah II. Taylor, Christopher S. Hubbard, Henry Casey, Lewis, Curtis. Joseph H. Prats, Elizabeth Taylor are nonresidents of the state of Illinois, and that John Taylor. Eli C. Blankinship, Julia Blaukinship, Elizabeth Duncan and Elizabeth Taylor on due luquiry cannot be found, and that there are persons, interested in this suit as the heirs or devisees of John Taylor, if deceased, as the heirs or devisees of Robert Dyson if deceased, as the heirs or devisees of Robert Dyson if deceased, as the heirs or devisees of Jeremiah H. Taylor if deceased, as the heirs or devisees of Lewis Curtis, as the heirs or devisees of Henry Casey if deceased, the heirs or devisees of Henry Casey if deceased, the heirs or devisees of Lewis Curtis if deceased, and as the heirs or devisees of Joseph II. Prats, if deceased, and as the heirs or devisees of Joseph Buncan, deceased, the heirs or devisees of Joseph Duncan, deceased, the Heirs or devisees are unknown, notice is hereby given to each of you the said John Taylor, Eli C. Blankinship, Robert Dyson, Jeremiah H. Taylor, infistopher S. Rubbard, Henry Casey, Lewis Curtis, Joseph H. Prats, Julia Blankinship, Elizabeth Taylor, Elizabeth Duncan and Elizabeth Taylor, the unknown heirs or devisees of John Taylor, it commended the unknown heirs or devisees of Lewiscopher S. Hubbard, Henry Casey, Lewis if deceased, the unknown heirs or devisees of Lewiscopher S. Hubbard, Henry Casey if deceased, the unknown heirs or devisees of Henry Casey if deceased, the unknown heirs or devisees of Henry Casey if deceased, the unknown heirs or devisees of Henry Casey if deceased, the unknown heirs or devisees of Joseph Duncan, deceased, the unknown heirs or devisees of Joseph H. Prat In the Circuit Court to the June Term, A. D. 1896. Frank Batchelder vs Lewis Curtis et al.

or devisees of Joseph H. Prats if deceased, the unknown heirs or devisees of Lewis Curtis if decased, the unknown heirs or devisees of Joseph Duncan, deceased, and the unknown heirs or devisees of Knowies Taylor, deceased, each be and appear on the first day of the said term of said court, to plead, answer or demur to said hill of complaint, the same will be taken as onlessed and decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 21st day of April A. D. 1896.
[Seel] and decree the court of said county.

Dr. T. S. Hoskins, Dentist, Ope

We Sell BICYCLE SUNDRIES

We did think that we would not sell Bicycle Sundries. We are busy enough selling HARNESS, VE-HICLES and BICYCLES. However, WE MUST regard the wishes of our Cycling friends who are tired of paying COMBINATION PRICES for Bicycle Sundries.

OUR LOW PRICES on BICYCLES created the demand for correspondingly low prices on Lamps, Bells, etc. WE DO NOT KNOW what prices Decatur dealers have been getting for Sundries. Therefore, when we refer to LIST PRICE we do not necessarily refer to our competitors' prices. However, we are told that list prices prevail in most stores. We sell Sundries for cash only. Bicycle Sundries are scarce and hard to get hold of. These prices will continue until present stock is sold. Come Quick.

NEW DEPARTURE RELIS

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| | No. D 5. Single Stroke, No. D 1. Single Stroke, No. Ideal. Double Stroke, No. F 3. Double Stroke, No. M 4. Electric Stroke, | List Price, 15e. List Price, 40c. List Price, 50c. List Price, 60c. | Our Price, 08c Our Price, 20c Our Price, 25c Our Price, 30c Our Price, 50c Our Price, 50c |
| 0 | No. M 1. Electric Stroke, | List Price, 1.25. | Our Price, 65c |

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Barnes Wrenches

Reg. Price, 75c. Our Price, 40c Witch Hazel, Quarts. Reg. Price, 35c. Our Price, 25c Rub Towels. Reg. Price, 10c. Our Price, 05c Electric Cycle Oil. Reg. Price, 60c. Our Price, 20c Toe Clips. Reg. Price, 10c. Our Price, 03c Pants Guards. Reg. Price, 20c. Our Price, 10c Columbus Wrenches Reg. Price, 35c. Our Price, 17c Hercules Wrenches. Reg. Price, 40c. Our Price, 25c

CYCLOMETERS.

No. 1 Standard, 1,000 Miles. List Price \$1.00. Our Price 65c No. 3 Midget Standard, 10,000 Miles, List Price \$1.75. Our

We have other styles at corresponding prices, but the tandard leads them all. None better.

List Price, \$1.00. Our Price, \$0c List Price, 2.00 Our Price, \$1.00 List Price, 4.00 Our Price, 2.50 List Price, 4.00 Our Price, 2.50 Our Price, 3.00 Demon. Ripper. Banker. List Price, 5.00......Our Price, 3.00 List Price, 5.00.....Our Price, 3.00 The Banner Lamp is the latest, lightest and best. SPROCKET LOCKS.

LAMPS.

List Price, 25c. Our Price......15c Braddock Skirt Holder. Selle for 25c; Our Price 10c. Every Skirt needs a pair. Our price

Gentlemen's Stocking Belts Reg. Price 50c; Our Price 25c.

places them within reason

REPAIR KITS.

Barler's Pneumatic Saddle. THE LATEST OUT. Regular Price \$5.00. Our Price......\$3.50 We have a large variety of Saddles at Corresponding

We sell Cements, Tire Tape, Oil, Luggage Carriers, Child's Seats. etc., at bottom prices. PEARLE POLISH cleans nickel perfectly. A small bottle free with every purchase.

Monday's and Tuesday's Prices on Juvenile Bicycles.

Boys' Wood Rims, 20 unch frame, Pneumatic Tires...... 21.00 DON'T ASK FOR THESE PRICES ON BICYCLES ÁFTER TUESDAY NIGHT.

> Notice the STARR name plates on the streets if you would know how many bicycles we have sold. Ask the riders and they will tell you that our 'IDEAL'' and "FAULTLESS" are all that could be desired. OUR LIBERAL GUARANTEE, our "Payable when Convenient" terms and

> OUR LOW PRICES are too much for our competitors. They can't see how we do it. BUT WE DO DO IT. Starr's "IDEAL" \$60, the only High Grade Bicycle in town at the price.

> Our "FAULTLESS," \$85, is, as the name indicates, perfect in every detail. The "Fowler" has a "truss frame" and is the "strongest and most highly finished bicycle in the world."

> to be had for the money. EVERY VEHICLE in stock will be sold at a sacrifice for a

Our cheaper grades sell for \$30, \$35, \$45, \$47.50 and \$50, and are the best

short time. We must move them. We Never Did Sell Harness So Cheap As Now.

Brand New Single Harness \$4.00=Our Own Make.

YOURS FOR BUSINESS,

J.G. Starr & Son



P. LYTLE. S. NELSON. H. DURFEE. Commissioners.

il, A. D. 1896 CLELLAN, Clerk.

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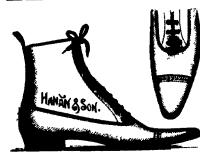
H. H. COLTER,

COLIIMBIA and HARTFORD BICYCLES,

Manufactured by the Pope Manufacturing Co., the highest grade goods in the world, range in price, \$50, \$60, \$80, and \$100. We have a full and complete line of their 1896 Models. Please come in and inspect them. We are selling a great many of these wheels now, and feel very confident that we can interest you if vou will look them over.

Otto E. Curtis & Bro., Jewelers,

156 East Main St.--- 113 North Water St.



Hanan & Sons'

Men's

This is the GOTHAM LAST which is the very latest New York style. We have them in BLACKS and TANS, not only gan street and bring your friends with description of his clothing which is of a very industrious He always had an idea in this style last but have all other new and up-to-date styles. you -25-diw

These Are the Shoes You Should Wear."

They are HAND-MADE, FINEST WORKMANSHIP, noth- yard office, 800 North Broadway. For ing better manufactured anywhere or for any money. They are the best shoes for you or for any gentleman who wants the best, most stylish and most durable shoes. Let us show Cann 628 North Main or with Harry inquiries as to the Meyers feature of the you these styles. We know we can sell you.

Made to Sell at \$5, now \$3.90.

F. H. COLE SHOE CO.,

B. F. BOBO, Mn'gr.

Fay's Parlor Market,__

CORNER WEST MAIN ST. AND LINCOLN SQUARE.

You can always get the best of meats at our market, and be paid. as we sell for cash we can give you more for your money than those who sell on credit.

TRY US AND BE CONVINCED.

Hot Weather Goods.

DRESS GOODS.

Now Challies on sale at 5c a yard. Now French Ginghams on sale at 81/3c,

New French Percales for waists, 121/c. New Dimity, in stripes and figures, for Silk Waiste at \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5 and up. Dress Skirts at \$3, \$3.50, \$5 and \$6. New Linen Dress Goods on sale at 121/c, 5c, 20c and 25c yd.

Silk Belts at 25c, 35c and 50c. Summer Corects at 50c, worth 75c. Bilk Mits at 25c, 35c and 50c.

CARPETS AND MATTING. A lot of Remnants of Ingrala Carpet on sale at from 25c to 30c payd. raw Mattings on sale at 19c and 25c yd CAPES.

Velvet Capes at \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50 and

Silk Capes at \$5, \$6.50 and \$10. Children's Jackets at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 \$2.50 and \$3.00.

silk waist or skirt at short notice. SHOE DEPARTMENT. At 98:-- Ladies' Tan or Black Oxford on sale at 98c. Kid Button Shoes at \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50.

UMBRELLAS. Special Sale—at 98c, \$1.25 and 1.50 each

Mixed Paint,

also Varnish, in small cans, as well as in large ones. Paint Brushes, all sizes. Everything in the paint line at

KING & METZ'

...Drug Store ...

MONDAY, APRIL 27, 1896. SOCIETY MEETINGS.

PATHBONE SISTERS—Regular meeting of Myrtie Temple No 2, Rathbone Sisters. this (Monday) evening at 7.30 o'clock, in the old Calumet rooms, Opera House Block. LOUIE SEEFORTH, M. E. C. MINA THOMPSON, M. of R. & C.

LOCAL NEWS.

You pay a little more for Sleeth's por-Rubber Stamps-J. M. Myers, old

Fresh oysters just received today. Pearl

Johnny Weigand still makes the Leda olstering.-24d1m

and 43 Fenton block. Fine Arkansas strawberries, 20 cents box at the Pearl Oyster Co.

Dr L. E. Coonradt, Dentist rooms 42

Telephone Rock Plaster Co. Lime, Cement and Rock Plaster. Irwin's catarrh cure is taken internally

Prescriptions carefully compounded day BEST Imported Cement for Side- in the head " walks; warranted. Decatur Rock Plas-

ter Co., new 'phone 528

ailroad. -24-1w

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. Cheap excursion to St. Louis via Wabash railroad on all regular trains of May 2 and 3, only \$1.50 for round trip. For was of very much the same opinion as particulars apply at ticket office, Wabash

You can get hot, tender roast beef every with a club which would account for the day noon for lunch with excellent coffee, head of the corpse being driven in the also the best meal in the state for 25c at ground. He added that if the body had Hue Singleton's restaurant. Try it and be convinced. ---24-1w

You can get that beautiful gasoline range free at Bachman Bros. & Mar-

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

his place of business and is conducting a for work. He registered at the hotel | in my employ. He was a man who was first class place. He wants all his friends | February 19, paid his bill and left Febto give him a call and promises to treat them right. Nothing but first class goods A telegram was sent to Staunton, from I think that is the way in which he came kept in stock. Call at 701 North Mor-

No better soft coal in this market than Lincoln or Riverton. Buy it of M. F. Metz. Personally he can be found at the Broadway office; Old Phone 435; New Phone 435. Also leave orders with T. W. Metz at King & Metz' drug store. Hard coal all sizes, always in stock at market may be located in Long Creek township that they should be allowed to disinter Mr. Lorton is a late arrival in Decatur or along city streets; they are easy to the Nov. 11dtf

Rubber Tires on Livery Rigs. Charles M. Caldwell, the liveryman on West Main street, is in the lead. He calls attention to the fact that he now has rubber tired carriages, surreys and buggies for the use of the general public. Patronize the Caldwell Livery if want the most stylish rigs. Telephone Mch 26, d-1m.

Horses Wanted.

Will be at 549 North Church street, Decatur, Ill., on Saturday, April 25, 1896. Would like some horses from 1,100 to 1,500 pounds. Horses must be well broken, sound and in good flesh, and from 5 to 8 years old. Highest market price will April 21-d4w1

Law Office Removal. The law firm of Crea, Ewing & Walker will take possession of their new offices, Rooms 601, 602 and 603, in the Millikin

Bank building, sixth floor, on May 1st.

AN ORDINANCE.

Vendors of Merchandise.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois: SECTION 1. That section one of an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to Provide for the Li-censing and Regulating of Itinerant Merchants and Transient Vendors of Merchandise," passed by the City Council of said City on the 7th Cay of August, A D. 1893, be amended so as to read as follows:

chant or transient vendor of merchandise, either by himself, as agent or clerk of another, to set up, maintain or carry on within this eity any temporary store or establishment of any stock

ordinance for a longer period than three months without renewal.

SEC. 3. That section four of said ordinance be amended so as to rend as follows:
Whoever shall violate any of the provisions or requirements of this ordinance shall upon conviction be fined in a sum not less; than five dollars nor more than two hundred dollars for each offense and shall be subject to a like renaity for each and every day thereafter that he shall continue such violation.

SEC. 4. That section six of said ordinance be and is lucreby repeated.

Passed this 30th day of April, A. D. 1886, Approved this 21st day of April, A. D. 1896, Published this 21st day of April, A. D. 1896.

Published this 27th day of April, A. D. 1896.

Attest: F. L. HAYS, City Gerk.

Say the German was August Hackmann.

IDENTIFICATION SEEMS COMPLETE the body was examined. Pieces of the

Hackmann Came to Decatur from Stauton in February-His Clothing Identified-Body Taken Away.

Saturday night Coroner Bendure held the inquest on the body of the unknown murdered man found Saturday forencon in the timber east of the city. The evidence is given below: M. G. Marsh, the man who found the

body was the first and principal witness examined by the coroner's jury. After stating his name and giving his residence as near Marion, Ohio, he testified as fol-"I was going fishing with Peter and Joe Stimmel; we passed through the gate at Mattes' brick yard as a near route to Cowford bridge and after going about 200 yards I discovered the back of a man protruding through the leaves. The body was on the south side of a large stump with the head to the north and in contact with the stump. I removed the leaves from the head and feet to assure myself that it was a body as I supposed. I returned to the city and notified the authorities. I accompanied the chief of police and Coroner Bendure to the place where the body lay. The body was held Decatur Tent and Awning Co. for up- in place by chunks and covered with leaves. Judging from the imprint of the more I pay \$16 per month hands in the leaves I should think the room to myself and can lock the door but body had been there a month. Think he was between 30 and 40 years old and had have not yet gotten work and the prelight brown hair. The body must have peets are poor It has been very cold be been intentionally covered and propped in

found on the dead man.

them that they are not mistaken about

the identity of Hackmann. His only rel-

ative in Staunton is a sister, Mrs. Fred

translated was about as follows:

week and if I am here for two

find. With this I will close. Hope this

Under his signature the writer added

letter indicates that the man was of a

money and a handsome gold watch valued

robbed of these valuables. The number

by men from Staunton and this will give

lead them to the capture of the murderers

In speaking of Hackmann, Mr. Min-

trup said: "He was a good man and

had worked for me for the past six years.

very easy to become acquainted with and

was always talking up with other men and

This ofternoon Undertaker Hackman

killed and dragged to the place where he

was found. The spot was near the L. D.

& W. tracks and that is the road he would

have taken it he were going to or from a

farm near Long Creek. It is not yet cer

tain whether or not he had taken the

pistol empty and Spraggins ceased firing.

George Sanders, a farmer residing south

of Niantic four miles, was in the city to-

day to say that he had found a black

painted skiff in the river, and he is look-

Spraggins was not hit.

with the intention of doing so.

was about 30 years old.."

and there buried.

Mintrup, the farmer, says that

Be in good spirits. I am not

Marshal Mason was then cailed to the stand and corroborated the testimony that had been given by Marsh. He added that rather timid disposition. mashed beyond recognition when the body was placed there. Coroner Bendure Marshal Mason and said that whoever put the body there had beaten and mashed it been found the next morning after it was

position with the poles that were along-

with a sharp instrument. It was on the

covered him that there was a gash behind of health.

side of him. I noticed when I first dis- will reach you when you are

right side and appeared to be an opening postscript in which he tells his brother-in

the ear that looked as though it was made suffering for anything.

put there no one would have recognized the face so mutilated was it. It was learned Saturday night that a nan named August Hoockman was a zuest at the Athey hotel over Blaine's drug store in the month of February, and E. Tauber has purchased of W. Peters that he was a miner or farm hand looking for two years in St. Louis before he came ruary 26. That was the last seen of him. which town Hoockman came, giving a to be killed. He never drank and was occuliar character, and the answer came that he wanted to work on the railroad USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. from the postmaster to hold the body and and he left my place with the intention wait until somebody came. The parties of finding employment on some road. I were expected to come Sunday morning.

> It was stated today that the German had met Joe Myers of Long Creek township, who had secured him a place in the country. The Republican has instituted case in the expectation that Hoockman working on a farm. Some think that the body and take it home for burial, and but recently secured a situation. He feet, never slip in the pedal and are grace

Several wild stories about missing men were run down Saturday night. Finally it was concluded that possibly the mardered man had come from Staunton.

Staunton end of the story.

Identified as August Hackmann. The body of the man found in the woods east of the city last Saturday proves to be that of August Hackman, a German who came to this city from Staunton, Ill., on February 19. The identity of the man has been established beyond a doubt. This morning C. F. Hackmann, an undertaker at Staunton, and Arnold Mintrup, a farmer, arrived in the city and identified the pieces of clothing and articles which were found on the body of the place on the farm but he left this city man as those belonging to Hackmann. the missing man. The two men came to

take charge of the body and to remove it Rockford, Ill., Apirl 26.-A. T. Royce to Staunton. one of the best known citizens of Rock-The only things which were found on ford, and an old Odd Fellow, dropped the body of the man to give any clue were dead in the aisle just after having marchthe envelope of stationery bought at A. ed into the church today. Shortly before J. Blaine's drug store and the piece of pahe seemed to be in the best of health. His Amending Sections One, Three and Four, and Repealing Section Six of an Ordinance Entitled "An Ordinance the piece of plug tobacco found in the death was due to an attach of heart failure. For many years he was a member of the city police force. to Provide for the Licensing and Regulating of Itinerant Merchants and Mendota, Ill., April 26.—August Mueller, for many years a business man of this city, died today suddenly upon the street rom heart disease. Editor Shot in a Street Duel.

the clue which brought to light the name of the murdered man. Mr. Blaine remembered of having talked to a man who was from Staunton and who was in the city hunting work. This same man had bought stationers at his store and had gone to the Eagle hotel over the drug s follows:
It shall be unlawful for any itinerant mer- store to board. On the hotel register unider the date of February 19, was found the name of August Hackmann. Mr. Athev, the proprietor, save that the man them in that city this afternoon, growing was looking for work on the railroad and cut of a publication in the Argus which every day made an effort to get a job. It Spraggins objected to. Trouble has been was suggested to him that he try to get a brewing for some days and when the men situation in the country and he left the met they bogan firing. Coleman shot five city about the last of the month with the times, Spraggins four times. Then Coleintention of working for a farmer near man announced he was wounded and his Long Creek. This was the last known of

> A telegram was sent, to the postmaste at Staunton and as a result Undertake Hackmann and Mr. Mintrup came to this city feeling sure that the body found was that of Hackmann. The name of the undertaker and the name of the dead man are similar but they are no relation. Hackmann had worked for Mintrup for to some Decatur party. Some of Sanders' six years past and would probably be neighbors took the skiff from him, claimable to identify him if anyone would, ing that it belonged to Ed Levy of this When he went to the undertaking establicity.

the man in this city.

"QUICK "MEAL" CONTEST. Daily Republican DEAD MAN MYSTERY liamment of Recre & Wykoff he was asked to give a description of the clothes which he lastisaw Hackmann wear and it talby Bachman Bros -Co.-3558 Tacks. lied exactly with the suit on the dead The guessing contest at the furntur man. He said that on the inside of the store of the Bachman Bros. & Martin coat was a black patch where the coat had been mended by his wife for the hired

Co. for the "Quick Meal" range closed Saturday evening. It excited lively inman, and James Moran, the undertaker says that he noticed such a patch when clothes and shirt were shown to Mr. Mintrup and he is positive that they belonged to Hackmann. He also saw the dead man's pen knife and says that he could wear that it also belonged to his former hired man as he had seen him use it often. On the piece of paper which was around the tobacco was printed the name of C. E. Campbell, a clothing firm of Staunton. The undertaker from Staunton says that jar the members of the company had no cigar dealer at that place remembers of part except to select the committee to at- | Wilson. selling a piece of tobacco to Hackmann tend to that duty. The gentlemen were and of wrapping it up in a paper of some F W. Wismer, Al Leach and Otto Wilkind. Before leaving Staunton this liams. They made the count and found morning Mr. Hackmann found that the that the jar contained 3,558 tacks. There missing man had purchased from the were over 2,000 guesses. Three ladies hardware firm of E. E. Godfrey, a 32-call tied on 3,560, the nearest guesses. The bre Harrington and Richardson revolver. This tallies exactly with the revolver ladies making the 3,560 guesses were Miss Marian Muzzy of 550 West Eldorado street; Mrs. J. F. Wilson, of 1027 West Both men from Staunton are positive from the evidence that has been given wood street; and Miss Laura Moore, of

208 West Cerro Gordo street. The "Quick Meal" range is the best one in the lot and is worth \$24.

Mrs. Moore Got the Range. Shaffer. To his brother-in-law he wrote The tie was decided this afternoon. a letter from this city on February 22 party wrote a certain number between 100 The letter was written in German but and 1,000 on a card and each lady was requested to guess at that number. Miss "As we have not seen each other for Muzzy wrote 250 and Mrs. Wilson and are you getting along? I am staying at Mrs. Moore each wrote 350, both making another tie. The 350 was nearest the high board, but I rest easy. I pay \$5 per number on the card and the two ladies had to make another guess Mrs. Wilson wrote 358 and Mrs. Moore wrote 400 what is still better a man stays up all The 400 was nearest to the number on the night in the place. I am feeling well but card which was 460, and the range was iven to Mrs Moore. moderating. I have been asking for and looking around to see what I could

BURGLARS IN ATCHURCH.

John's Episcopal Church Entered b Robbers on Sunday Night-Silver

Robbers effected an entrance to St John's Episcopal church at the corner of law not to write again as he may move | West Eldorado and Church street some his place of residence. The tone of the time during Sunday night and stole a lot of valuable articles The thief or thieves got in through a

small window on the north side of the Hackmann left his employ he had \$50 in edifice, and reached the window by getting or a dry goods box which had been at \$85. Neither the money nor watch left in the church yard for some months. were found upon the dead man and the The window had been opened by some supposition is that he was murdered and one in the church to throw out a bunch of faded flowers, and the party doing so of the watch was furnished to the police | had failed to fasten the window. It was an easy matter for the robbers to raise the the officers a clue which may eventually articles taken were a solid silver communion service, a challice, paten and wafer box, all of considerable value. The police have been informed of the robbery, and Marshal Mason has a full description of and had worked at the shoe maker's trade the stolen articles. A reward of \$25 has been offered for the recovery of the property and the conviction of the thief.

THE WHEEL WINNER.

D. Lorion the Lucky Man in the Draw-Night-Wheel Goes to Kansas.

The high grade Liberty bicycle given edy company at the opera house was wor told him that if he could not find work in the gift drawing by A. D. Lorton, a he must come back on my farm. His railroad man in the employ of the Vanonly relative in Staunton is his sister, dalia company. The lucky number was wheel takes them; in this respect a wheel Mrs. Shaffer. The family is a very poor the fourth one drawn out of the box and one but they are respectable. Hackmann Lorton held it. He was on hand to take the wheel which was bought at the store The men from Staunton conferred of the Morehouse & Wells Co. and cost

with Coroner Bendure and it was decided \$100 a farm If he is that will settle the and James Moran drove to the poor farm ago he wrote her saying he would buy and the remains of the man were taken and send her a wheel as soon as he could up and scaled in a metalic box They get enough money together. He had not will be shipped this evening to Staunton been living on easy street for some time and he did not see bow he could get that While the man has been identified the wheel for his sister: but the problem was discovery of his murderers yet remains to solved Saturday when to his great delight be discovered. The new facts in the case he found that he won the Liberty wheel. will aid the officers somewhat in the He had the wheel changed today for work of detection. It is quite likely that ladies' like and had it shipped to his sisthe man was held up on the rairond and ter out in Kansas.

> CIRCUIT COURT IN SESSION. Judge Vail Disposes of a Few Motion

Returns to Sullivan. In the circuit court this forenoon Judge Vail heard a few motions and ordered that court stand adjourned until next Monday at 9 a. m. when he may dispose of several important cases.

Common Law Docket. Westheimer Swartz Shoe Co. vs. Max Greenburg, attachment; default, judgnent for \$342.70.

I. R. Mills, state's attorney on behalf f People vs. Decatur and Eastern Railway Co.; quo warranto: leave to file addi ional plea and continued. Chancery Docket

P. W. Finn et al vs. Mark Moran et al; foreclosure; final report of L. E. Eyman, receiver, submitted.

Badly Bruised.

This afternoon on the hill on Oakland venue William Eckel was badly hurt'by an accident to his wagon which was load ed with brick. The brick pushed out the Nashville, Tenn., April 25.-Frank front part of the wagon, causing the team Coleman, editor of the Huntsville (Ala)1 to run away. Rekles fell under the Argus, was shot and badly wounded by wheels Dr. Heil was called to attend R. E. Spraggins in a street duel between Eckle who was taken to his home west My. He may recover.

The Drum Corps. A meeting of the Republican drura corps will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the office of Attorney Black on North Water street. A full attendance is requested.

Highest of all in Leavening Power:- Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Large Number of Wheelme der Arrest for Violation of

BICYCLE RIDERS IN TROUBLE

There was trouble in store for the riders of bicycles Saturday night caused by the vigilance of the officers who were out looking for all parties riding bikes who terest among the ladies to whom the prividid not have a lamp lighted and an ilege of guessing for the prize was con- alarm bell on the handle bars. It was a fined, and the range was a gift of the company. In a glass jar were placed a large had not complied with the provisions of number of tacks. The trick was to guess the ordinance were told that they would the number of tacks the jar contained, have to report in court today to answer to the guessing taking place during the re- the charge. Those arrested were Charles ception the company gave at the store Gilbert, George W. Tuttle, Ed Kirkpatlast week. The guesses ranged from rick. W. S. Glessman, J. Fribourg, A. less than a hundred to 100,000, and a full R. Rhoner, Rev.W. C. Miller, A. Bourne, record of all the guesses were kept. In George Post, F. L. Suffern, Ralph Tagascertaining the number of tacks in the gart, Fred Clark, W. N. Andrews, J. P. Nicholson, Jr., H. C. Stewart and Roy

> The cases came up in Justice Hardy's court this forenoon. All of the parties were apparently ready to settle under the provisions of the ordinance, which calls for a fine of \$5 to \$10; but W. N. Androws said he would fight the ordinance. He will make it a test case, and if he loses in the justice's court, which he imagines will be the result, he will take the case to the circuit court to secure the decision of Judge Vail. In the meantime all of the parties arrested will obey the ordinance by putting lamps and bells on their wheels.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Howard Hanthorn is in Springfield to

Mrs. Ed Carter has gone to Merelosis Miss Fairy Owen is in Litchfield visit-

John I. Pasold left today for Bedford Ind., to purchase stone for the new school H. L. Oldham arrived home this morn-

ing from a two weeks' business trip

Mrs. L. A. Alexander, a former resident of Decatur, but now of San Jose, tal., who has been visiting her daughter. Mrs. Dr. Keith, of Toronto, Can., 18 now in this city visiting her mother, M1- Dr W. H Mitchell, and sister, Mrs. George

The Chicago Marine band will be heard here in concert in the near future. It is ited at the World's Fair. It happened that T. P. Brooke was secured for conductor and that talented musician made the band play so well that it caused a great sensation and quickly rose so far above the militia in public interest as to become one of the great institutions of Chicago. It seems that Brooke has struck a new lead in this line and produced some musical effects that are novel and truly wonderful. It is claimed that for popular music this band has no equal and what is of the utmost importance to its managers, the band has proved largely profitable from the first. It caught the fancy of Chicago's concert patronage to such an extent that its concerts were always crowded, and nearly every time peo-

There are Wheels and Wheels. Some people ride their wheel and guide their wheel run them and go where their

ple were turned away unable to get even

is a good servant, but a poor master. The best way to keep your wheel in place and derive all the benefit possible out of it is to wear a pair of our bicycle shoes when skimming over country roads good pair of bicycle shoes sets off the

vearer to good advantage. Drop in and see our new ball bearing bicycle shoes, laced down to the toe, no side seams, made of very soft kid and kangaroo skin, unlined, making them cool and flexible for men, women and children. No one else can sell you this popular shoe but Folrath & Hardy, the popular shoe men.—27-d2t

Waived Examination.

Constable Hoff came down from Maroa this morning early to take to Torsythe Seeley and Warner, the two parties arrested for stoning a train of the Illinois Central road at Forsythe. The parties were taken before Justice Drury at Forsythe where they waived examination and each was sent back to the Decatur jail in default of \$500 bail. Constable Hoff brought the prisoners back.

Utley Change of Location. C. W. Utley, the fashionable tailor in the opera block, will remove from his present location on May 1st to 114 North Water street, the room in the Montgomery building now used as the annex for the Curtis Bros store. Mr. Utley gets all of that room which is one of the best locations in the city. He will put in an elegant line of piece goods.

To Whom It May Concert Some malicious liar has started the report that I am going to leave the city I would say for the benefit of those who care to know that such is a premeditated lie, started to benefit the originator. Re-Thos. S. Hoskins

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VOTE ON M'KINLEY TO COME SECOND. Nomination for Governor First on the

Programme-Republicans Get Together for Peace.

Springfield, Ill., April 28.—An agree-

ment was reached last night between

George P. Englehard, representing the McKinley people, and Dr. T. N. Jamieson, speaking for the delegates opposed to instructing the delegates-at-large, which, if it is carried out in Wednesday's convention, will harmonize all the difficulties which existed beween the two factions and do away with the bitter fight which has all along threatened to disturb the peace of the gathering. As has already been fully set forth the bone of contention has been the time at-which the resolutions seeking instructions for McKinley should be introduced in the convention. The McKinley people have insisted they should come up as the first order of business after permanent organization, claiming they might be side-tracked if they were postponed. The other side has just as strenuously insisted they must wait | Spi their time until after the nominations were made, promising when they did come up they should receive fair treatment and be submitted to an honest vote. Out of this came a deadlock, which it seemed up to last evening could not be broken except by a bitter fight in the convention, but-at this conference between Mr. Englehard and Dr. Jamieson a compromise was worked up which will be agreed to unless something breaks tomorrow. This compromise is acknowledged triubte by all hands as a fair way out of the diffi-Terms of the Compromise

When the committee on rules is ap- will be pointed it shall report to the convention, the 6,0 recommending the following order of

First-Nomination of candidates for

Second-Election of four delegates-at- fair gr large to the national convention and consideration of any resolution instructing them as to their action.

Third-Nomination of candidates for other state offices than governor. Fourth-Report of the committee on

This would bring the presidential fight before the convention as practically the first business over which there is any contest, the nomination of John R. Tanner as the candidate for governor being as good as made now, he having over a majority of the delegates instructed for him. Part of the conversation between Messrs. Englehard and Jamieson which led up the B to the agreement to this compromise was

"Our reasons for objecting to a postponement of the McKinley resolution,' said Mr. Englehard, "is not so much that we are afruid it would be side-tracked if Char consideration of it is delayed, as the op- comportunities such delay would give for form trading, by which McKinley would be a Han sufferer. That big block of anti-McKin- rar, ley votes in Cook county could be thrown for those candidates for minor offices, who in time could deliver anti-McKinley adde votes on the question of instructing the the delegates on the question of instructing cate the delegates, and the result would be we would be beaten before we ever came to a sent ballot. What we ask for is an opportunity to vote on the question of instructions independent of all outside consideration, and that, we think, can only be secured by having the question brought

up the first thing in the convention." But it would be eminently unfair to Mr. Tanner." answered Dr. Jamieson, "who is an Illinois man and a candidate for the highest office in the state, to force him to give way for the consideration of the claims of an Ohio man for the presidency. Besides that Mr. Tanner has a majority of the delegates already instructed for him, while McKinley has not, and Tanner should take precedence of the Ohio candidate for that if no other rea-

"McKinley has almost a majority," replied Mr. Englehard.

"Perhaps, but yet not a majority, and he may never get one," answered Dr.

So the talk went on until the compro mise, which was finally reached, naturally grew out of it. Speaking of it, both gentlemen expressed themselves satisfied.

ALL AT SEA AGAIN.

Senstor Cullom and Doc Jameiso Deny the Compromise Story.

The Attitude of the McKinley Suppo ... Breakers Ahead.

has been a great deal of talk to the effect that the McKinley and anti-McKinley leaders had effected compromise, the war clouds have not altogether left the sky of the Republican state convention. Mc Kinkey harders allege that the opposition have agreed that as soon as the governor